

Chief Sunderland Will Return Zoning Decision Slated

W'lake Area Topic Of Meet

Final disposition of Westlake's controversial "Parcel H" probably will be decided at a meeting this week between Henry Doelger and representatives of 224 residents who wish to rezone the area from commercial to residential.

The decision, if amicable to both sides, formally will be given the blessing of the city council at an open hearing Tuesday, April 1.

Should the meeting prove a failure, the council will be faced with the delicate question of turning down 224 residents; or facing a possible law suit with Doelger.

The land in question is a 200 by 300 foot area facing Lake Merced between Lake Merced boulevard and El Portal drive. Residents oppose any commercial building, while Doelger maintains he has a right to put up what he desires, as long as it conforms to the city zoning ordinance.

Steps Doelger is prepared to take, if need be, were revealed at an open hearing Tuesday night. Close to 100 residents heard Gerard Wagstaffe, attorney for Doelger, in this matter, say if the council attempts to raise the zoning Doelger will:

1. File an injunction in superior court to attempt to stop the council's move.
2. Cancel a contract which the city and Doelger entered into July 1948 before the area was annexed to Daly City. The contract calls for Doelger putting in the streets and water system in Westlake; to build a \$25,000 community center building; and to sell to the city 10 acres, at \$2,000 an acre for a park.

"I do not wish this to sound like a threat, but we believe the council has no right to change the zoning, and we will act accordingly," Wagstaffe said.

The Redwood City attorney observed that the park acreage, alone, would now cost the city something like \$10,000 an acre, or more. He indicated should the contract be dissolved the city would be the loser.

Faced with this ultimatum, Councilman A. J. Gaggero stated the council's position: "The only question in my mind is the contractual responsibility of the city to Doelger. I believe we would be making a mistake if we change the zoning and thereby break the contract."

H. W. Holman, 71 Cliffside drive, then presented the residents' side:

"Well, we're licked," he said quietly. "No city council can throw one-half million dollars out the window."

"The question comes down to 224 for rezoning and only one opposed."

Then turning to the city council, Holman said: "These gentlemen are sitting there because I voted for them. I never had cause, or reason to object to any of their actions. But tonight I have serious doubts."

"Tonight, we are going to find out whether 224 voices mean anything."

"I'm under the impression the city fathers work for us. If we are turned down tonight, what are we?" (Continued on Page 2)

"Tear Down Guttered Home" ...Residents Tell City Council

Westlake Water System Discussed

(Ed. Note: Number of people at regular Monday night council meeting: 12.)

A petition requesting the city to "immediately tear down" the gutted-out Ferrari home on Frankfort and Lowell streets was submitted to the city council Monday night.

The 25 home owners who signed the document said the home has proven a "nuisance for over a year" and a "menace to children" who have been playing there. City Attorney Frank Blum noted was now the center of litigation, and he suggested the petition be turned over to him for consideration. He will make a report at the next regular council meeting, April 14.

Approximately one year ago the Ferrari home was the scene of an explosion and fire when a tractor working on the Concordia district street paving job ripped up a gas line. The gas flooded into the home and exploded. Ferrari is seeking damages from the city, and consequently no action has been taken yet to tear down the gutted home.

Floods
Residents of the Frankfort-Lowell streets area were also heard regarding the flood waters which have poured off the Concordia hills into a section of the 100 block on Frankfort. A member of the audience asked what the city intended to do to remedy the situation.

Mayor Paul Green said the city engineer was now studying the problem and would come up with a solution before next fall. In the meantime temporary measures will have to do, the mayor said.

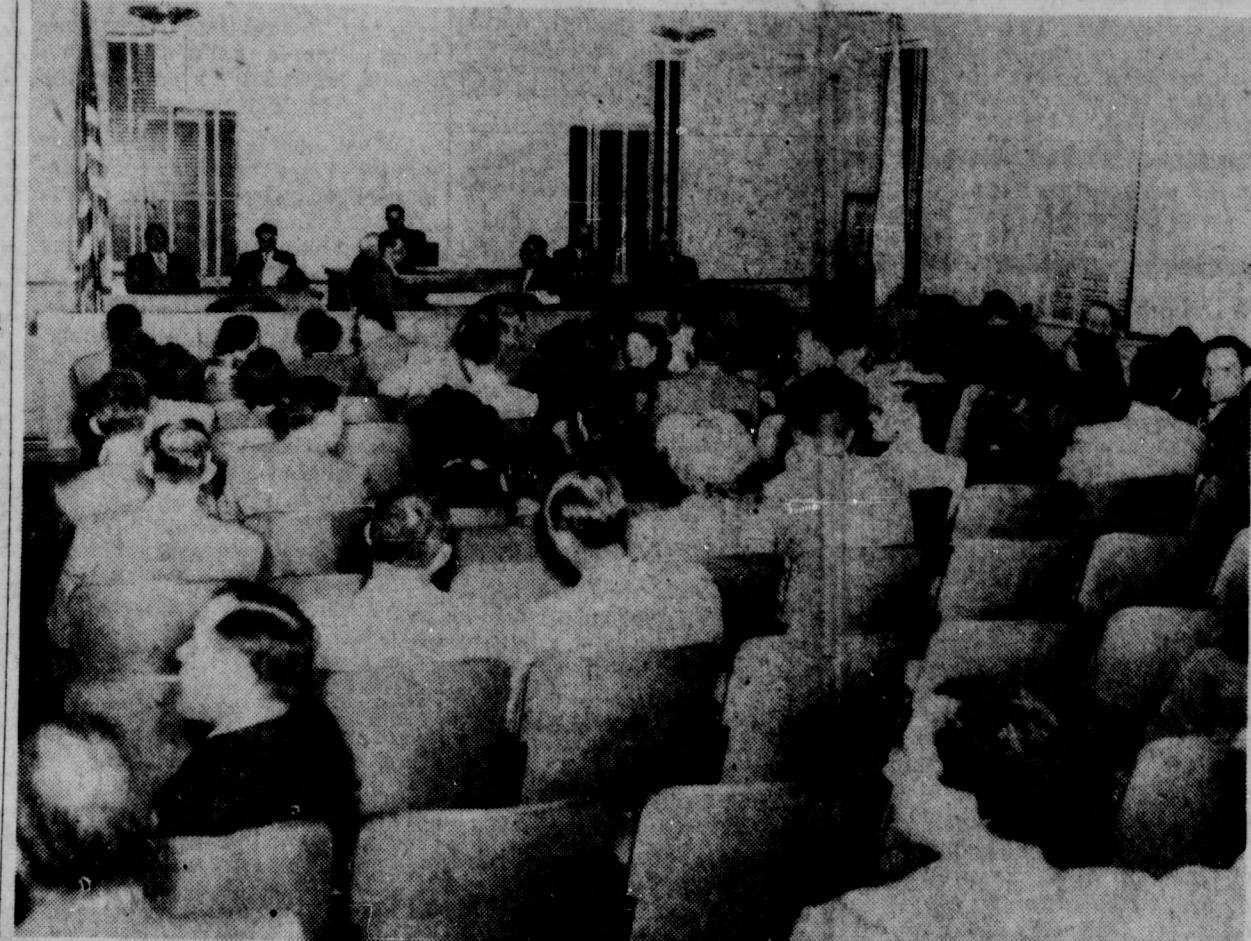
Water was also the subject of another brief discussion. At the suggestion of Mayor Green, the council put over the opening of bids on the installation of a new reduction valve for the Westlake system until Wednesday night. However, Councilman Ed Mooney suggested the bid be opened that night, so as not to delay work on the job. A. J. Bodien, works superintendent, asked for another (Continued on Page 2)

Record Budget Is Asked For County

REDWOOD CITY—Taxpayers in San Mateo county will be asked to finance a budget totaling \$13,232,341 in 1952-53, according to word released by Controller Fred E. Beer. This is a 4.286 percent increase over the all-time record budget of \$12,688,474 allowed last July.

While the tentative budget figure represents an increase of \$543,867 over the amount finally approved for the current fiscal year, it falls short of the 1951-52 original requests by \$289,250.

This time last year, departmental requests totaled \$13,530,591. These were pared down by the board of supervisors to the \$12,688,474 finally allowed.



A FEW OF THE CLOSE TO A 100 Westlake residents who packed the city council chambers Tuesday evening are shown here at the opening of the meeting. Later in the evening, there were few vacant seats. (Photo by Pat Corner)

New Petition

Residents Call For Construction Of Federal Post Office Building Here

A petition urging the government to build a federal post office here is now being circulated, THE RECORD learned today.

Instigators of the move are led by Mickey DeBernardi, candidate for the city council.

Purpose in asking for a federal building at this time stems from a move to curtail the activities of the Colma branch post office.

About October 1 the carrier service from the Colma branch will be switched to the Daly City office at Mission Circle and Bepler.

Residents served by the Colma office believe this will work a hardship upon them in that they will be forced to journey to the "top of the hill" to pick up packages and registered letters, DeBernardi said.

These residents of the Colma-Broadmoor area feel a central post office, independent of San Francisco, would better serve them and all Daly City residents.

Other reasons given for a federal post office building here in (Continued on Page 2)



STANDING IN THE HOT SUN Tuesday, clad in a somber business suit, this man has felt the first pangs of spring fever. With his surf casting rod clutched firmly in his hand, he heads for the ocean and the cooling breezes. (Photo by Pat Corner)

Sunderland Justifies His Actions Regarding Swanson

Daly City's latest "bookie" scare developed into a county-wide hassle today, with charges, counter-charges and hints of tie-ups with San Francisco and San Mateo operations.

Wilbur W. Sunderland, Daly City police chief, now on leave of absence, was dragged onto the scene when District Attorney Louis B. Dematteis accused him of authorizing installation of a telephone in a local motel suspected of being the headquarters for a bookmaking operation over Dematteis' opposition. Sunderland, in a statement to THE RECORD, justified his actions.

Meanwhile this Tuesday Jack Swanson, 52-year-old manager of the Serra Motel in Daly City—referred to by Dematteis in his charge against Sunderland—was bound over to superior court on charges of bookmaking by Police Judge William J. Sweeney.

The situation developed last week when officers moved in on Swanson and arrested him, after finding his number listed in a bookie parlor in San Francisco, recently raided. There seemed to be a connection with the San Francisco operator, and also with Fred Mackota, 38, arrested January 31 in San Mateo on a similar charge.

The Serra Motel is owned by Mrs. Hazel Keagle, former Daly City resident, and sister of Ernest Milo of San Mateo, who was indicted Monday night by the grand jury on charges of bookmaking. Dematteis said this week Swanson had been suspected of being a bookie as long ago as May, 1950. He also said that after four telephones were yanked from the motel, Sunderland was instrumental in having one of the phones returned.

The district attorney said on November 30, 1950, he sent Sunderland and Inspector John Farrell to the motel, but not enough evidence was found to arrest Swanson. However, on December 5 Dematteis ordered the phones removed, and they were taken out December 19.

According to Dematteis, Sunderland then called his office and asked permission to reinstall one pay phone at the motel. The district attorney said he would not approve such an action, but that Sunderland said he would assume the responsibility, and ordered (Continued on Page 2)

Water Service Is Disrupted Several Hours In Westlake

Residents of the Westlake district turned on their faucets Monday evening—and found no water.

A major break in the water main at Sheffield and North Mayfair had disrupted the service, and most householders in the area were without water all night and most of Tuesday morning.

Repair crews were out all night in an attempt to fix the damage, and the precious fluid began flowing again around noon Tuesday. Naturally enough, the water department was flooded with calls from anxious housewives, who hoped for immediate resumption of service.

This is hardly the first time water breaks have happened in Westlake. Each time Daly City starts to supply the water from the Junipero Serra well the pressure builds (Continued on Page 2)

At Last, Spring Is Here

Winter-weary Daly City citizens were pleasantly shocked Tuesday when Spring arrived—in a sudden and completely unannounced way.

Temperatures just started climbing Tuesday morning, and kept rising until a new record for March 25 had been set. According to the San Francisco weather bureau, a high of 83 degrees was reached early in the afternoon.

Wednesday remained warm, with a high of 81 recorded, and today, March 27, was still pleasant and balmy, although a sudden end to the "heat wave" was foreseen within the near future.

Residents of Daly City reacted sharply to the break in the weather. Coats were shed, and the ladies blossomed out in summer frocks and sun suits—making Mission a most pleasant street to stroll.

Chief Indicates He Is Ready To Put Up Fight For Job

Chief of Police W. W. Sunderland today told THE RECORD that he is going to return to active duty April 1. He will replace Acting Chief Roland Petrocchi.

Sunderland has been on sick leave since August 27, 1951. Prompted by the city council, he made the request after a series of book-making raids here last July and August by the district attorney's office.

In submitting his request for sick leave Sunderland had said in part "...and on that date, (April 1) I wish to take my retirement in accordance with Civil Service rules and regulations."

Until today the city council had been expecting that Sunderland would retire as scheduled. In announcing his plans to return to office, Sunderland did admit: "I don't know how long I will remain on duty," and indicated he was still uncertain as to whether he would fight to retain his job.

And fight he will, if he is to remain chief. At least this is the opinion of three city councilmen contacted by THE RECORD. The councilmen, none of whom wanted their names to be used, said they would take immediate action to have Sunderland fired if he tried to keep his job.

Mayor Paul Green said today that "as far as the council is concerned, Sunderland is done as of April 1."

Councilman A. J. Gaggero noted the council had received no communication from Sunderland indicating he wanted to return to duty. However, Sunderland pointed out that he had never retired, so such a communication was not necessary.

Sunderland has asserted he is not afraid of a fight if it means clearing his name. The chief has staunchly maintained that he is innocent of any wrong doing in the bookie situation here.

Reliable sources are inclined to go along with Sunderland's view, and it is expected a first class hassle would develop should Sunderland decide to stay when he returns April 1.

These sources, close to city business, believe that Sunderland was the "fall guy" in a situation where more than one party was involved.

Sunderland's request for sick leave followed several stormy council meetings last August. The meetings had been called after a series of bookie raids here by District Attorney Louis Dematteis.

In the first of these bookie raids Sunderland was accused of tipping off the bookies. In subsequent crack downs his name was linked, by the district attorney, with the bookie operations.

Dematteis then issued an ultimatum to the city council. "Clean up your town, or I will clean it up for you," he said.

At this point Sunderland was put on the carpet by the council. Councilman A. J. Gaggero requested that he be fired. However, the other councilmen (Continued on Page 2)

POLICE ARE CERTAIN SPRING HAS ARRIVED

Police were alerted here Tuesday when they received a report that Frederick Huebsch, 41 Fieldcrest drive, was missing from his home.

Officer Dean Wood, checking over his territory, spotted Huebsch within a short time after the call was received, and escorted the chap back to his home.

Wood almost booked Huebsch for indecent exposure, but decided he'd overlook it this time. Young Huebsch, aged two, was clad only in a diaper. Commented Wood, as he labored over his police report, "It's Spring."

Beaches did a landoffice business, as many sought the cooling ocean breezes. Some (like the man shown in the pictures at left) took down their fishing poles, and headed for the lakes or ocean.

All in all, local citizens reacted to the balmy days more or less as expected. Also, they knew it was too good to last—and they were right. The weather bureau says a new storm is heading this way, and should bring some rain by tonight or tomorrow. Rain is no novelty here by now, but it's getting downright monotonous.

But, residents say there is always summer to look forward to with pleasure. Summer and fog, that is.



Callan Files For Supervisor

Nomination Papers Signed By Leaders

Thomas J. Callan's name is officially in the race for San Mateo county supervisor from the first district following the filing of his nomination papers at the county clerk's office in Redwood City this morning bearing the signatures of 30 prominent county citizens.

A native of San Mateo county and a civic leader for many years in the county, Callan has built a fine record of public service on the Jefferson high school board of trustees and as chairman of the San Mateo county harbor commission. Callan is a resident of Colma.

"Callan has set forth a clear-cut program without hedging or dodging any important problems facing the county today," his campaign manager, Wilbur Bishop, stated. "Callan has made it clear in published statements earlier this month that, I am seeking a seat on the board of supervisors for only one reason, to build the county for present and future generations," Bishop added.

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we going to be able to expect from the city council?"

A moment later Mayor Paul Green called a 10-minute recess. When the council again convened, Holman forwarded the suggestion that the residents meet with Doelger "in an effort to reach a general understanding." He said he made this suggestion for it appeared to be the only intelligent method to tackle the problem.

This met with the hearty approval of the city council and the majority of residents. April 1 was then set for a final decision on the matter by the council.

However, one lady was not willing to wait another week. She asked Incumbent Councilman Ed Mooney: "How would you decide on this matter?"

But before he could give the lady a "yes" or "no" answer, City Attorney Frank Blum came to his "rescue": "Councilman Mooney can not make a public decision until the hearing is closed," he said.

The people's case as explained by Starr Runham, 80 Cliffside drive and A. H. Altman, spokesman for the group, is:

1. Doelger now has a 42 acre business district, which appears to be enough. Further commercialization is not needed.

2. Commercializing a small area in a predominant residential district is bad. (Later, there was some debate whether this was spot zoning, or not.)

3. Generally, residents were led to believe the whole area was to be used for a park, and they were given to understand no commercial district was included.

Supporting this general "platform" are 224 petitioners, the Westlake Improvement Association (which held a last minute meeting Monday night to swing to the side of the residents), and various San Francisco agencies.

Herbert Bartholemew, representing the San Francisco Housing and Planning Association, said his group was opposed to commercializing the area because it was felt Lake Merced should be kept clear of such ventures.

Bryant Hall, representing the San Francisco Planning Commis-

sion, said the master plan of San Francisco called for a park area in that district, and the commercial area in Daly City would be out of harmony with the general setup.

Mayor Paul Green asked where these groups were when the land was sold by San Francisco to Doelger. He inquired as to why they didn't make provisions for non-commercialization in the deed.

Bartholemew replied that he had had no knowledge of the transaction at the time, and from a legal viewpoint doubted whether any such zoning restriction could be placed in a deed.

Possibly the bitterest comment of the evening was heard from Edward Foti, 293 Wilshire. "I personally asked Doelger what the area (Parcel H) was going to be. He said it would be either a park or residential district. On that basis I built my home."

"Of course, that is no concern of the council," Mayor Green replied.

Despite the direction of the discussion, the audience paid courteous attention to Wagstaffe, who gave Doelger's side of the question. In fact, thanks to Wagstaffe's explanation, many residents felt a meeting between Doelger and them was in order.

Generally the attorney pleaded his "case" on these grounds:

1. Doelger has no idea what he intends to do with the land in question. He has rejected an offer for a drive-in theatre, and the only other application for use he has obtained is for a church.

2. The nearest home will be 200 feet from the commercial area, giving residents an adequate buffer zone.

3. When, and if, the land is developed commercial Doelger will consider relocation of El Portal drive, so as not to make this a main arterial.

4. Should a restaurant or bar be in the offering, residents would have plenty of opportunity to object at another mandatory hearing.

5. Finally, he said he "seriously doubted if the city even has the right to rezone the area," and then launched into what Doelger intends to do if action is taken without his approval.

to 1943.

During the next three years he served with the United States Navy. Upon his return in 1946 he was appointed chief.

He is now 55 years old and eligible for retirement as of April 1. However, the majority of chiefs hold office until they are 65, and at that time retire.

Should Sunderland actually decide to retire, the city would hold a civil service test for chief. Any officer with five years experience is eligible, although it is generally expected that present acting chief Petrocchi would get the job.

On the other hand, if Sunderland returns, Petrocchi would revert back to his job as sergeant.

California produced about 3400 flasks of quicksilver during 1950, the smallest quantity in the State since 1921.

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up and something gives. Then San Francisco steps in and supplies the water until Daly City decides to try again.

At a recent council meeting the E. T. Haas Co. submitted a low bid of \$3,880 for supplying a pressure reducing system for the Westlake water lines, which would presumably solve the situation. However, the bid was not accepted by the council, but is now under review by a committee.

Meanwhile, in order to forestall another break, San Francisco is supplying water to two Westlake sections, while Daly City is maintaining a flow to the commercial section.

Sunderland Justifies Actions With Swanson

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the phone installed.

"You bet I authorized the phone to go in there," Sunderland told THE RECORD today. Operating the motel without a phone was impractical, he said. A pay phone was needed for the convenience of women and children living in the building. The business just couldn't be run without at least one phone, Sunderland said; so he authorized its installation.

Sunderland, who was under fire last year because of the widespread bookie operations in Daly City, took leave of absence last fall, preliminary to his retirement this spring. (See story at right.)

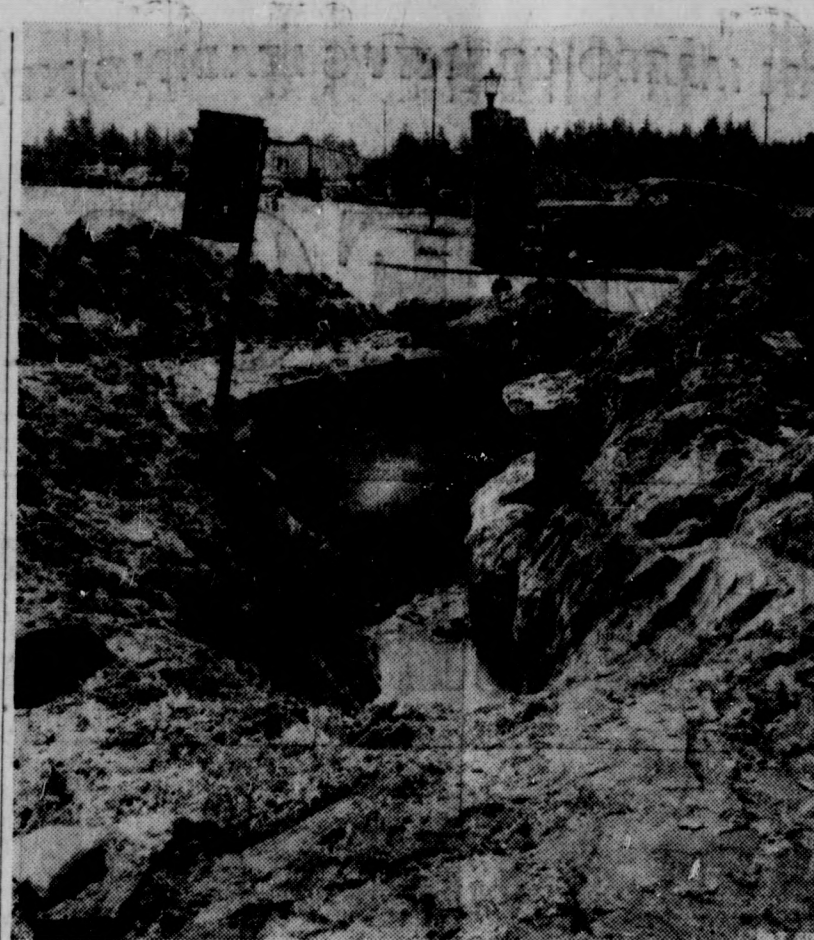
Meanwhile, in continued crack-downs against such activities, the San Mateo county grand jury Monday night indicted four men and one woman on charges of bookmaking and illegally tapping a telephone.

Named in the indictment returned before Superior Judge Murray Draper were Fred MacKort, 38, of San Francisco; Ernest Milo of San Mateo; Louis Bombini of San Mateo; George Unsell of Redwood City; and Mrs. Delphine Costa of San Mateo.

The true bill, voted by 18 members of the grand jury, charged the five defendants with four felony counts arising from the operation of a bookmaking establishment in a two-story frame structure at 1907 Bayshore, San Mateo, to the rear of Club 19.

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THIS ORDINARY LOOKING HOLE in the ground spelled trouble for residents of the Westlake district Monday night and Tuesday morning. After a break in the water main here, water service was disrupted for several hours. The break occurred at Sheffield and North Mayfair. (Photo by Pat Corner)

OBITUARY

GEORGE W. CARLE

Funeral services were held Tuesday, March 25, for George William Carle, who passed away the preceding Saturday at his home, 863 Brunswick street.

A resident of Daly City for 26 years, Mr. Carle was a member of Crocker Lodge No. 454, F. & A. M., and of the Mutual Aid Association. A machinist by profession, he was self-employed.

Beloved husband of Eleanor B. Carle, devoted father of Carley Jane Carle, loving son of Mrs. Emma Carle and the late George Carle, and beloved brother of Mrs. Julia Betts, Mrs. Olga Ghent, and Mrs. Betty Greene, he is also survived by 11 nieces and nephews.

Services were conducted at the mortuary of W. C. Lasswell and Co., and were under the auspices of Crocker Lodge No. 454, F. & A. M. Interment was at Olivet Memorial Park.

THOMAS F. WHALEN

The rosary was recited at 8:45 p.m. last Tuesday in the chapel of the W. C. Lasswell & Co. mortuary for Thomas Francis Whalen, who died here Monday, March 24.

Whalen, who resided at 464 Acton street, was employed as a supervisor for the John Deere Co. A long time resident of Daly City, he was a native of St. Louis, Mo.

He is survived by his wife, Nell Whalen, and two sons, Thomas E. and James F. Whalen.

He was a member of the Holy Name Society; Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church; the San Mateo Council No. 1346, Knights of Columbus; the Society of St. Vincent de Paul of Our Lady of Perpetual Help conference; and treasurer of the Particular Council of the San Mateo county Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

The funeral was conducted at 9 a.m. at the mortuary, and a Requiem Mass was celebrated at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church immediately after.

Interment was at Holy Cross cemetery.

CARL ANDERSON

Carl E. Anderson, resident of Daly City since 1909, died Tuesday, March 18, at Veteran's hospital, it was disclosed.

A native of California and veteran of World War I, Mr. Anderson made his home at 133 Hillcrest drive. He was employed as a guard for the Navy at Fort Mason, San Francisco.

Mr. Anderson is survived by two sisters, Elvada Anderson and Ida Soderblom, and a brother, Oscar Soderblom.

He was a member and past commander of Daly City Post No. 410, American Legion, and a Worth Past President of Colma Vista Grand Aerie No. 1848, F.O.E.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, March 20, at the W. C. Lasswell & company mortuary. Interment was at Golden Gate National cemetery in San Bruno.

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Funeral services for George W. Carle, who died in Daly City March 22, were held Tuesday morning from the mortuary of W. C. Lasswell & Co., under the auspices of Crocker Lodge No. 454, F. & A. M.

Carle was the beloved husband of Eleanor B. Carle, loving son of Mrs. Emma Carle and the late George Carle, beloved brother of Mrs. Julia Betts, Mrs. Olga Ghent and Mrs. Betty Greene; survived by 11 nieces and nephews; a member of Crocker Lodge No. 454, F. & A. M., and Mutual Aid Association.

New Petition

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clude:
1. It would be constructed in a location easily accessible, with plenty of parking. DeBernardi says the present structure—which opened only a few months ago—is large enough, but there is no room for parking.

2. Daly City would be recognized as Daly City, not as San Francisco, 25. In other words, the town would have its own postal cancellation, and would avoid confusion with the San Francisco office, DeBernardi said.

3. It is also believed a local office might result in better service for all residents.

Contacted by THE RECORD this week, San Francisco Postmaster John Fixa said he had no comment regarding the advisability of Daly City "breaking away" from the San Francisco system. However, he explained the Colma post office situation.

"No citizen need be alarmed about this change, as their service will not be affected," Fixa said.

In fact, he said the carriers were being removed from the Colma station in order to enlarge the building for better local service.

"When our lease is up, about October 1, we intend to completely remodel and enlarge the Colma office," Fixa said. This will consist of enlarging the lobby, and other major changes.

"The people are losing nothing, but, in truth, are gaining much from the change."

Fixa said arrangements would be made so that residents might receive packages from the Colma office without going to the Daly City branch.

Although Fixa would not comment on a federal post office for Daly City, he did note that the present new office had been constructed to handle the needs of this area for "at least the next 10 years."

The question of an independent post office is not a new one for Daly City. At one time the city did have its own system, but later decided to join San Francisco in order to save the necessity of using an extra penny postage to send mail to the adjoining city. Since then the raise in postal rates has cancelled out this benefit.

Two years ago the city explored the possibility of a post office, but rejected it when they discovered the federal government expected the city to put up most of the funds for the building. The government, however, has agreed to purchase the site.

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for \$10,000 against the city.

3. The civil service eligibility list for the police department was approved. Roland Petrocchi is eligible for the new job of Captain of police while Roy Beecher is in line for Lieutenant of police.

Little Damage Reported In Fires Here Recently

A 1936 model automobile belonging to Mrs. Jess Peters, 41 Crestwood drive, was damaged recently by fire when a piece of wire fell across a battery lying loose in the rear of the auto, shorting out the battery and setting the car afire, according to Daly City Fire Chief Elmer Kennedy.

Approximately two feet of the bar of the Wits End cafe, 6055 Mission, was burned early Monday morning when a wastebasket containing smoldering cigaret stubs caught fire. The blaze was extinguished at 9:42 a.m. before extensive damage was done.

J. S. BABICH

Cpl. Joseph S. Babich, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Babich of 174 Santa Barbara avenue, recently left the 25th Infantry Division on the Korean front for rotation to the United States.

A veteran unit of the Korean war, the 25th was one of the first to see combat. It recently has been engaged in patrol action near the 38th parallel.

Babich, who arrived in Korea in June 1951, served as a radio operator in the 8th Field Artillery Battalion's Headquarters Battery and was awarded the Bronze Star Medal and the Purple Heart for wounds received in action.



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WESTLAKE FIRE STATION NEEDED

As reported in THE RECORD last week, fire insurance rates for every home owner may go up 20 per cent in the next year.

This raise can be prevented. All that is needed is a new fire house in Westlake.

We wonder, then, just how long it is going to take the city to swing into action. We hope it won't be another case where politics dictates putting off a final decision until such time as the new high rates go into effect.

The council is to be praised for its recognition of the need. It is to be censured for not having taken definite action before the threat of the 20 per cent boost was upon us.

Money, of course, is the big problem. We would suggest this as one case where the "lend-

lease" plan, so wrongly explored as a method of financing the community center building, is in order.

We do not know enough about this plan, but we understand it to be reasonably workable in a situation where a city can find no other means of raising funds.

We do know for certain, however, that if rates will take from \$80,000 to \$100,000 more the fire station is not built the increase in fire rates will take from \$80,000 to \$100,000 more.

Under these circumstances we are frankly amazed that the council has not moved. But more important, why haven't the citizens expressed their desires on the matter?

WESTLAKE RESIDENTS LEAD THE WAY

Westlake is leading the way, at least in showing other Daly City residents how to handle public problems.

This was notably demonstrated Tuesday evening when close to 100 Westlake residents appeared to argue the merits of changing the zoning of a piece of property near Lake Merced.

We are not here to take sides in this issue, but we do believe those Westlake residents are to be congratulated for showing intelligence and restraint in presenting their case. And the same applies for Henry Doelger.

There is no question that the city council was on a spot. As one audience member put it: "Are you going according to the will of 224 petitioners, or one builder?"

Fortunately, this same audience took the council off the spot by agreeing to meet with Henry Doelger early this week. Such a meeting was in order long ago, especially as there is great misunderstanding concerning the whole problem.

It is to be hoped a congenial, satisfactory solution will be worked out around a table, instead of in a council chamber. It is our opinion that force, regardless of its merit morally and legally, is the poor way out of any argument.

Incidentally, it will save the council from going on record for a decision which, if forced, would do no resident of Daly City a bit of good...regardless of the decision.

WHY THERE ARE NO MORE PARADES

There will be no more spring parades in Daly City—at least for this year.

That came as a distinct shock last week to thousands of residents who have looked forward to this May festival as the highlight of the year in Daly City.

The reason for calling off the parade was simply that Jefferson high school, faced with keeping up and improving its grounds, could not allow horses and vehicles on the track. No thinking taxpayer could have anything but praise for this decision.

However, we do find fault with the timing in the matter. Perhaps we are working under a presumption, but it seems to us, given adequate time, the Recreation Commission could have worked out details of a parade which might not necessarily have had to ended at the high school.

As it was, the Commission was not told of the high school's decision until much too late.

Whether other city officials were notified earlier, we do not know.

It also came as news to the Commission that they were to head the parade. As Ed Cavagnero, commission member, pointed out, the city council has always been in charge of this detail. To be sure, Mayor Paul Green noted, the council has delegated these powers to a committee...but the basic organization was the responsibility of the council.

Why, we ask, was not the Commission told earlier that this year they would be in charge of the parade? Had they been told we might not have had to announce "no more parades."

This is not necessarily meant as criticism of the council, but rather to point out previous dire lack of cooperation between the two bodies.

This may be crying over a lost cause, but we believe the cry should be heard loud enough so it will be stifled by organization and cooperation next year.

COUNTY BUDGET SKYWARD BOUND

Pursuing a course into the wild blue yonder, county officials this week came out with a request for a 1952-53 budget some \$543,887 over last year's budget.

Departmental requests totaled \$13,232,341.

Figures are boring and misleading, but in simple verbiage this all signifies one thing...next year, brother, your tax bill is going up.

At least taxes are going to rise if certain county officials have their way. We note with interest that the biggest increase in the proposed budget is for 71 new county positions. Unquestionably some of these requests are in order, but it seems doubtful that the county has expanded so greatly in one year that 71 new employees must be taken on.

We believe the average taxpayer is receiving

his dollar's worth, but there are some services which must be curtailed and cut. This will call for close scrutiny by the board of supervisors and, more important, the public.

Another thing to watch is the tax rate. Since there has been a 50 per cent increase in assessment values, the rates must correspondingly decrease. This is especially important, as city officials will be watching the county's move to determine whether it will be to their advantage to use the reassessment program for increasing revenue without actually jumping the tax rate.

It is up to your elected officials to act wisely in this matter. However, regardless of what is done, there is little question today that the tax bill during the next fiscal year will continue its way up into the clouds.

REGISTER NOW TO VOTE TOMORROW

Registration for the June 3 primary election in California will close on April 10. That fact will be repeated many times in the next two or three weeks. Hardly anyone will escape the information. But how many will register, and after that, how many will actually vote?

The answer is, unfortunately, not nearly so many as should. It's up to the individuals eligible to vote, to decide whether they will bother to take part in the election of those who govern them and make the laws. One would think that with citizens having so many gripes about taxes, abuses of government powers and the

like, that the registration and voting would be close to 100 per cent. But too many could-be voters have a "weather" complex—they like to talk about what's wrong in government, but they never do anything about it.

Anyway, we repeat, you have until April 10 to register. And if you wish to vote you must register if you have reached 21 years of age since the last election, or have changed your name, or have changed your residence or did not vote in the last general election.

Remember the date—April 10—and remember your responsibility as a citizen.

Judge Bocci Backs Minor Liquor Ban

Judge Thomas Bocci today declared he will lend full support to the investigation of George Reilly, member of the State Board of Equalization, in his campaign to halt the sale of liquor and beer to minors.

As judge of the First Township, Bocci is an active leader in curbing juvenile delinquency and has been quick to stamp out the infractions now under investigation.

"The majority of our tavern and bar operators are upstanding citizens who deserve the respect of the community," Bocci said. "However, there are a few who take advantage of this aura of respect to lead teen-agers astray."

He asked parents, teachers and school officials to report to him any cases of such practice. "I will personally see these law breakers are put where they belong," Bocci said.

Glass Mountain, in Siskiyou county, is estimated to contain one of the largest deposits of obsidian in California, if not in the United States.

Council Candidates Speak

Following are statements by the eight candidates seeking two seats on the city council April 8. THE RECORD takes an impartial stand on this particular political question and endeavors to bring the readers a fair summary of the candidates' platforms. However, after this week the candidates will be asked to limit their statements (with headlines) to no more than 10 inches. This is necessary to conserve space for other vital stories of interest to the public. Two candidates, running as a team, will be considered as one for the purpose of the aforesaid statements. Press deadline for the previously mentioned candidates' statements is Tuesday noon of the week of publication.

DeBernardi Offers Representative City Government

Questions Men Who Spend So Much

Michael DeBernardi, candidate for the city council, today lashed out at councilmen who were elected on promises but failed to take any action.

The independent candidate says he has "waited and watched for signs of improvements," but with few exceptions has seen nothing.

DeBernardi said this was a strange condition, especially as he remembers so many promises of progressive improvements in previous campaigns.

In a prepared statement, DeBernardi continued:

"It is time our city awakened to the fact that we are rapidly growing to become one of the largest cities on the peninsula. We should be able to keep step with progress made in similar sized communities.

"In order to attain this goal, we need councilmen interested in civic improvements, not personal gain or influence.

"Improvements that are beneficial to the people should be acted upon, not shelved for political expediency.

Before I decided to seek your vote as city councilman, I considered my lack of financial backing. True, I have much moral support... support from the average man... but little in actual dollars.

Other independent candidates have been defeated by men intent upon spending thousands of dollars for a \$50 a month job. This is no exception.

I wonder if it has ever occurred to you why these so-called representatives of the people dish out so much for a job. Can it be a mad desire for service, or a more understandable desire to service the few big money interests who make councilmen their puppets?

A bit of the answer can be found in the recent Westlake hearing on zoning Parcel H.

I offer you, the voter, a city government based on real service, on consideration of your wants and needs. We need a man who can stand on his own two feet.

I consider myself able to fulfill this office, as I am interested only in seeing that the voters are heard, not misled by political promises and double talk.

Civic Minded Residents To Vote Tromborg & Wilson

Candidates Stand For Local Improvements

Residents sincerely interested in civic improvement pointed out today why they are voting for Thomas Tromborg and Del Wilson for the city council, April 8.

These voters observe that both candidates are long time residents of Daly City whose business backgrounds assure an understanding of both the problem and the solution to civic questions. This is evident, these residents say, as Tromborg and Wilson are the only candidates offering a truly constructive program for election—a program tailored to meet the needs of the average home owner.

Once more in such matters as transportation, recreation and construction neither of the men has waited until an election to act. Wilson has spent many months trying to solve the local transportation problem by bringing it to the attention of the city council.

Tromborg has plugged for a speedy, economical park program as well as completion of the Community Center building.

Tromborg has headed a successful plumbing business here for over a quarter of a century, and through diligent study and practice became an expert on all phases of construction. Objective observers note he will be in a position to save taxpayers countless dollars on all new construction when he is elected to the city council.

Equally qualified is Wilson, a former painting contractor whose whole life has been devoted to the real estate business and winding up a course in building and cost estimating.

"Need for councilmen able to cope with land purchases and building is all too evident," Wilson said.

Both men, too, have been active in civic affairs long before the election. Wilson is a former executive of the Edgewood Terrace Civic Association, and Tromborg has been a familiar figure in programs aimed at efficient government for the people.

In conclusion the two candidates said: "We are asking you to vote for us, not because you are a friend, but solely because you believe we will help the community."

Overwhelming Support Seen For Dennis And Gross

Statements Issued By Supporters

The campaign committee for the election of Edward J. Dennis and Henry Gross on April 8 is representative of the leading citizens from all districts of Daly City.

Both Dennis and Gross state they are overjoyed that the wage earner and the business man are interested that efficient government be restored to Daly City, as indicated by the following statements made in their behalf:

Tony Ricci, 160 Peoria: "Dennis and Gross are both capable and experienced administrators."

Bert Merritt, 58 Epler: "I hope my many friends support these qualified men."

Emmett Campion, 167 Winchester: "If the wage earner gets out and votes, Dennis and Gross will be elected by a big majority."

Harry Krohn, 337 Santa Barbara: "These men have proven themselves as competent and progressive."

Louis Malatesta, 115 East Vista: "We voters of Edgewood tract need councilmen who will correct the mud-spattered sidewalk that has prevailed for three years on Hillside boulevard near the old rock quarry."

Axel Lund, 113 Los Banos: "Let's all get out to vote for efficiency in city government on April the 8th."

Fred Kruse, 78 Lake Forest drive: "Sincerity and honesty make good city officials."

Raymond Heckman, 400 Crocker avenue: "It's a pleasure to support Dennis and Gross."

William Ziegler, 26 Parkwood drive: "Daly City certainly needs improvement in the councilmen department."

Charles Shoots, 144 Mateo avenue: "Voting is an honor. Let's elect honorable men."

James J. Poket, 6548 Mission street: "Dennis and Gross are not controlled. Their only allegiance will be to the taxpayer."

Walter J. Gillies, 212 Frankfort: "There is no question that Dennis and Gross are qualified leaders."

Roy Hart, 198 Hillcrest Drive: "We members of organized labor are proud of these candidates."

Albert L. Desmond, 145 Wilshire avenue: "Dennis and Gross as councilmen will definitely add needed prestige to our city government."

Clifford E. Britton, 596 Evergreen avenue: "We voters of the Crocker tract district want elected representatives of all the people of Daly City."

City Government "Going For Broke" Wheeler Claims

Levels Criticism At "Bookie" Situation

George Wheeler, one of the two independent candidates for the Daly City council, continued his bombardment of the incumbent's record as a councilman, and asks for a clarification of the incumbent councilman's statement that the city is on a "pay as you go" basis. Pay as you go where? Broke? Are bond issues a pay as you go method?

The incumbents statement that Daly City enjoys one of the lowest tax rates is fine, but that does not tell the whole and true story.

The amount of taxes you pay is not wholly dependent on the tax rate, it also depends on the assessed valuation of your property.

In fact, you are now paying the maximum taxes allowed by law. The only way it can be raised is by bond issues voted by you the people or by raising the assessed valuation on your property.

Many times the tax payers are told by ambitious politicians that the tax rate will not be raised, but when the tax bill comes along it costs more money in dollars and cents.

Low tax rate? Doesn't make sense does it, especially when the cost of our city government has increased during the incumbent councilman's term until it is now approximately \$250,000 more per year than it was when he took office.

Where did the money come from? Where does all government expense come from? Your pocket book!

Why don't the incumbent councilman and his running mate stop their back slapping and self complimentary campaign and give some facts.

Bookies
"Since the people are entitled to know, I also ask the incumbent to tell the voters who were the Mayor's appointees on the Police Commission when Sheriff Earl Whitmore was compelled to raid the numerous bookies operating in our city. It should also be of interest to know who was the Chairman of that commission and just why the lack of interest and action by local officials who supposedly represent us."

"These are facts to be determined for the best interests of the future of our city. They should be answered now so that we shall have an informed electorate casting ballots on election day."

—George F. Wheeler

Verducci Calls For Best Team In Council Race

Candidates Receive Backing Of Residents

It's up to the citizens of Daly City to select their council candidates on a basis of merit, and then get behind them by voting, and urging all their friends and neighbors to vote, a week from Tuesday, April 8, according to an announcement by incumbent Councilman Ed Mooney and his running mate, Joe Verducci, today.

"This time the people are the coaches and I'm one of the players who wants to get into the game and 'score some touchdowns' for Daly City," stated Joe Verducci, popular football coach and former gridiron great at University of California.

Best Team
"After all, the voters should put their best team on the field," Verducci went on, "and I frankly believe that Ed Mooney and I possess the qualifications the people of all Daly City expect of their representatives on the city council."

Meanwhile, scores of local residents, realizing that the municipal election is only ten days away, were joining forces behind the popular Mooney-Verducci team for election to the City Council.

Incumbent Councilman Ed Mooney, during whose current four year term of office scores of needed civic improvements have been accomplished, said, "Well, I've done everything in my power during the past four years to accomplish the platform I promised as a candidate in 1948. It's been a struggle against some reactionary interests, but, all in all, the record stands for itself, and I'm proud to say I haven't fallen down on my campaign statements."

More Needed
"There are still improvements needed," Mooney continued, "and there always will be if we are to lift Daly City up to become the finest community it is possible to develop. I'm sure that Joe Verducci and myself can keep up with the pace of progress by completing projects, one by one, for the betterment of the community and its residents."

A campaign spokesman remarked that voters were making their choice of candidates on the basis of qualification for office, and stated that was reason enough for the vast majority of Daly City residents to vote for Mooney and Verducci.

TREASURER CANDIDATES

Following are the statements of candidates seeking the office of city treasurer, April 8. Each of the statements was submitted by the candidates.

Politics Out In Treasurer's Job...Selmi Says

The office of the Treasurer has, many years prior to my taking office four years ago, established a policy of refraining from meddling in political squabbles.

I have continued that policy consistently during my term of office. However, aspirants to political power used varied methods to gain their objective. Making statements by innuendo, alluding to anything detrimental against an opponent, are political maneuvers to gain votes.

Such tactics can cause upsets in that policy. I hope to keep my campaign as dignified as my opponents will allow me to.

There has never been any complaints against the Treasurer's office during my term and if re-elected I shall make every effort to maintain that record.

Koerber Gets Com. Chest Post Appointment

Harold Koerber, 215 Roblar avenue, Hillsborough, was today appointed chairman of the publicity committee of the San Mateo county Community Chest, according to Glen O. Smallcomb, county chest president.

Telling the public about the various services performed by the health, welfare and youth Red Feather agencies of the Community Chest will be the first consideration of his committee, Koerber said.

Battye Says Treasurer Must Work For People

Candidate Has Necessary Experience

Melford D. Battye, candidate for Daly City Treasurer, complimented THE RECORD on its editorial last week on publishing the budget and makes the following statement:

My several years of experience as City Councilman and part of that time serving as Mayor brought to me a realization of the importance of a valuable public service that has been lacking in our city, that of publishing the status of all city funds in an understandable and easy to read manner.

Now, the present incumbent may go along with the thought, as he did last week in his opening statement that his duties are confined, and that it is not his obligation to see that this is accomplished, that his duties are also confined to certain very uninteresting work, the details of which are not his responsibilities.

I differ with his attitude and his thoughts. I believe that all public officials should not only do their job to the best of their ability but should also work toward giving the people a better understanding of their civic affairs. A public official just doing a job is not enough, he must do his utmost to benefit his constituents and to better his community.

My experience tells me that it is necessary for the city council to allow the necessary monies for all budgeted expenditures. If elected I will take the attitude that a mandate by the people has been issued in favor of publishing the status of the city funds quarterly and will present an item in my budget to the city council for that purpose. I will willingly take on the added responsibility.

I am very happy to know THE RECORD is in accord with my thoughts on this matter as per their editorial immediately after our discussion on the subject last week.

My experience in city government, my desire to be of service and my background of business experience all provide me with the necessary capabilities to serve you well as Daly City Treasurer. Will you give me the opportunity to keep you posted on your city's financial affairs? I assure you it will be a pleasure to render the above-mentioned service to you if elected your CITY TREASURER Tuesday, April 8.

ASK AID FOR VICTIMS OF TORNADO DISASTER

Mayor James Paul Green, acting on request of D. G. Minto, chairman of the San Mateo county chapter of the American Red Cross, has declared today, Thursday, March 27, as "Tornado Day" in Daly City.

Daly City residents are asked to increase their contributions to the Red Cross emergency aid fund for victims of the recent southern tornado.

A total of five million dollars will be required for the rehabilitation and restoration of the disaster-stricken areas, said Minto. The San Mateo county share of this figure is \$5100, he added.

A total of 28,446,000 pounds of honey was produced in California in 1951.

Judge Becker Announces Sponsors

Judge Charles Becker today filed his formal nomination papers as candidate for the new municipal court judgeship for the northern district of San Mateo county.

This new municipal court will replace all of the present city courts and township court in the district extending from Daly City through Loma Park and from Brisbane to Sharp Park.

The election for this new judgeship will take place at the primary election of the county on June 3, 1952.

The official sponsors for Judge Becker include civic, business and veteran leaders from all parts of the district, and include: Daly City, Norma Becker, Lyl Ingersol, William Lavagino, Theodore Hopman, Mrs. B. Dormoy, Walter Rector and Nicholas Gatto; Colma, E. A. Weisenburger, Bartley Flynn, Elmer J. Vaccari, Richard Del Fran, Nathan Temkin and Ray M. Logan, Jr.

South San Francisco, Herman Samperi, Arnold Abrams, Robert C. Church, Paul Hart, William H. Power, David L. Howard and Joyce Belford; San Bruno, John J. Madden, Martin R. Sorensen, William Farmer, C. R. Kamp, and George Avery; Loma Park, Dorothy Jane Cutler; Sharp Park, Florence Novak and Violet E. Gay; Brisbane, Louis Avanzino and Florence M. Bell.

The "weak spots" in most western homes are in the foundation area. Joists, girders, posts, mudsills, and subfloor—all near the ground—are where termites and dry rot attack. Foundation lumber, chemically pressure-treated with C2C, offers protection against such loss.

Callan Appoints Campaign Manager

Thomas J. Callan, candidate for the San Mateo county board of supervisors, today announced the appointment of Wilbur A. Bishop as his campaign manager. Bishop is a veteran of several successful county political campaigns.

Bishop directed the campaign which placed Earl B. Whitmore in the sheriff's office by an overwhelming majority two years ago. He flew down last weekend from Kelso, Washington, to help organize Callan's campaign. Bishop's home is in San Carlos.

Formerly owner and publisher of the San Carlos Enquirer, Bishop has been editing and publishing the Kelsonian-Tribune in Kelso the past year. He is a partner in Bishnell Enterprises, a local public relations, advertising and publications company and owners of the Washington newspaper.

"I feel that it is a distinct opportunity to be able to handle this campaign for Thomas Callan. He is the type of man who should be in a responsible county office such as supervisor. He is a man of good convictions and is thoroughly familiar with San Mateo county and its many needs. I know of no other man who could serve the voters of San Mateo county more ably than Callan," Bishop stated.

Two San Francisco Men Involved In Collision

A minor auto accident Wednesday afternoon at 6375 Mission St. was reported by police here.

Involved were Paul A. Mueller, 60, of 50 Cordova street, San Francisco, and Patrick McGuire, 65, of 139 Bright street, San Francisco. No injuries were reported.



Church News

Final Meditation Scheduled Sunday At Bethel Church

Final meditation of the Lenten series, entitled, "The Sins That Crucified Jesus," will be delivered Sunday at 10:45 a.m. by Rev. Herbert E. Schroeder at Bethel Lutheran Church, Alemany boulevard and Huron avenue.

The subject of the sermon at the morning worship will be, "Moral Weariness."

Sunday school will be conducted at 9:30 a.m. Lessons from the trials of Jesus will be presented on the screen by means of film strips, especially prepared for children by the Sunday School board of the Lutheran Church — Missouri Synod.

At the midweek Lenten Vesper Service next Wednesday at 8 p.m., Rev. Bernt Dallman, of Christ Lutheran Church, will conduct the service. Rev. Schroeder will preach at St. John's Lutheran Church.

Pastor Announces Bible School Of Ocean View Church To Meet Sunday

The Bible school of the Ocean View Church of Christ will meet Sunday morning at 9:45. The worship service will begin at 11 a.m. The morning worship service will include an inspirational song service led by Ova De Long, and special music furnished by Miss Joan Salmon and Mrs. Vivian Fender. The message of the morning will be entitled "The progress of the church through spiritual growth," and will be delivered by Vyrion Fender, minister. These services will be held at 474 San Diego avenue.

The evening services of the church will be a union service with the Elmhurst Christian Church at Oakland, and will be held at the Elmhurst church, 94th and Holly streets, Oakland. Following the message there will be a baptismal service.

Choir practice will be held Wednesday evening at 7:15 p.m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hardy, 314 Palmetto avenue. Midweek prayer meeting and Bible study will follow the choir practice.

The members of the adult Bible class will meet Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevenson, 952 Hemlock street in South San Francisco for an evening of planning and fellowship.

Further information concerning the program of the church and the arrangement of transportation to any of these services will be furnished by calling PLaza 5-6179.

Evening Worship Service Slated At Grace Church

Evening worship services will be held throughout Passion Week, starting Monday, March 31, at various churches in Daly City and San Francisco's Ingleside district, under a plan developed by 14 co-operating churches and the San Francisco Council of Churches.

The general public is invited to attend these services, which are held nightly at 8 o'clock, and are based on the theme, "See the Christ Stand."

Tuesday, April 1, at Grace Presbyterian Church, Winchester and Crocker, in Daly City. Rev. Karl E. Olson, of the Pilgrim Congregational, will preach.

Cub Scouts Are Told Of Fire Alarm Development

Eleven members of Pack 63, Cub Scouts, accompanied by den mothers, visited the firehouse on Parkview avenue Wednesday, March 19, to get a first hand check on the methods of modern firefighting.

Chief Kennedy told the boys about fire alarms, and explained the dangers of turning in false alarms. Henry Weisner, an expert on fire alarm system, demonstrated the latest type of system, and told the Cubs how alarms originated and were developed. Weisner said he would be happy to give demonstrations before any group.

The boys, as is natural, were especially pleased at the chance of a closeup inspection of the fire engines.

Two Men Injured In Accident On Skyline

Two San Francisco men were injured Saturday morning when their southbound auto went out of control and overturned on a curve on the Skyline boulevard, just south of the Coast road intersection, police reported. The car was demolished.

"For it is by grace that you have been saved through faith; and that not of yourselves. It is God's gift, and is not on the ground of merit—so that it may be impossible for anyone to boast. For we are God's own handiwork, created in Christ Jesus for good works which he has predestined us to practice." — Ephesians 2:8-10. Weymouth.

God's word carries the message of the good news of His grace—of salvation in His son, Jesus Christ, to all persons everywhere today.

If we will entrust our lives to God through Christ then we will receive God's gift of salvation and eternal life here and now as our own personal possession.

Then this new life, since it is Christ-like, will produce in our lives the aspects of Christ's life. Chiefly there will be peace beyond measure and love of such a degree that Christ's love caused our Saviour to give Himself to redeem us from eternal separation from God while we were deep in sin.

The trusting Christian will learn that in the daily taking up of his cross and following after a Resurrected and Living Lord Jesus Christ there will be produced in him a Godly concern for the Salvation and well-being of his fellow men.

—Contributed by Rev. Richard E. Eggert, pastor of the Winston Manor Community Baptist Church.

Easter Play Being Readied By Ocean View Church Here

The Easter play, "And Peter Too," is being prepared by members of the Ocean View Christian Church, 107 Sagamore street, for presentation on Palm Sunday evening.

The cast is composed of seven adults, and is under the direction of Mrs. Gracia Wells, wife of the pastor.

Vocal and instrumental music will be used in conjunction with the production. Mrs. Margaret Smith is in charge of the musical features.

Programs are being prepared by Mrs. Robert Miller, and costumes are being provided by the First Christian Church. A rehearsal will be held after church Sunday morning, as well as the usual Tuesday night practice. The choir will meet Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Sunday school is scheduled for 9:30 a.m., with Mrs. Earl Lefebvre acting as superintendent.

Morning worship will be held at 10:45 a.m. The sermon subject will be, "Is There Another Way?"

Church Guild to Meet April 1 For Devotions

The Ladies Guild of the Lutheran Church of Our Savior will meet Tuesday, April 1, at the church, Garfield and Junipero Serra. Devotions will be given by Mrs. H. Muser, and Mrs. M. Hoaglund will give a talk on "Befriend the American Indian." Mrs. Alden and Mrs. Baker will be hostesses for the evening.

Lenten services continue Thursday evenings at 7:30 p.m. The sermon for Thursday, April 3, will be "Blessed Are The Peacemakers."

Sunday school and Bible classes are held each Sunday at 9:45 a.m. Divine services are held at 11 a.m. Special music is arranged for Sunday services. The sermon theme for Sunday, March 30, will be, "Look and Live."

Talk On Easter Lilies Slated At Garden Club

Shirley Moeette will speak on the cultivation of Easter lilies before the regular monthly meeting of the Daly City Garden club, set for April 1 at the home of Mrs. J. Spinnetti, 57 Muirwood drive, according to Mrs. Dora Hunter, publicity chairman of the organization.

Any persons interested in attending the lecture or joining the Garden club should contact Mrs. L. de Lion, 2971 Alemany boulevard, ATwater 4-4307, Mrs. Hunter added.

While the Farallon Islands are part of San Francisco, no city official may set foot on them without permission from the light-house superintendent.

Sunrise Services On Mt. Davidson Set For April 13th

"Keeping the Mystery of the Faith" will be the theme of the Easter message by Dr. E. C. Farnham, executive director of the San Francisco-Oakland Councils of Churches, for the 30th annual Sunrise Easter Service on Mount Davidson April 13 at 5:30 a.m.

The Treasure Island chapel choir will render the special music under the leadership of Ruth Milliken. The prelude will be by the San Francisco Municipal Band.

Also participating in the service will be Rev. John R. Kenney, of Glendale Methodist church; Rev. M. G. Berglund, of Temple Baptist Church, president of the San Francisco Ministers' Fellowship; and Rev. Walter C. Subke, of Seventh Avenue Presbyterian Church; with Rev. William Taylor Gillespie, program chairman, presiding.

During the service a "Memorial Moment" will be observed in memory of the late Dr. Homer K. Pitman, former general chairman of the citizens' committee in charge of arrangements for the Sunrise Easter Services on Mount Davidson. He served for 25 years as program chairman for the committee.

Cypress Lawn Memorial Park To Host Winston Baptist Congregation

Meeting in the chapel at Cypress Lawn Memorial Park, the Winston Manor Community Baptist church, under Pastor Richard E. Eggert, will conduct divine services throughout this Sunday, March 30.

At 9:45 a.m., a Sunday school for all ages will be held in Noble chapel. At the same time, the adult Bible class will meet in the larger chapel located just south of Noble chapel.

Morning worship service in the larger chapel will begin at 11 a.m. Pastor Eggert's sermon topic will be "Ye Ought Also To Wash One Another's Feet." A vocal solo will be given by Mrs. Laura Hodge.

Evening services, held in the same chapel, will begin at 7:30 p.m.

At 8 p.m. next Wednesday, a prayer and praise service will be conducted in the same place.

Guest Missionary Will Speak At Grace Church

Dr. Pyron McMillan, who has recently returned from South America, will be guest missionary speaker at the Grace Presbyterian Church, Crocker at Winchester, for the closing session of the School of Missions Sunday at 7 p.m.

Dr. McMillan, who served in Chile, will tell of his experiences as a missionary there.

This Sunday also marks the close of the first quarter of the year when payments are due on the building fund. Offerings may be brought to any one of the services of the day. Mrs. Einar Hanson will give the report on receipts at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Legion Auxiliary Is Host To Top Officer

The Broadmoor American Legion Auxiliary, Unit No. 824, hosted the 26th District President, Mrs. Mary Morgan of Millbrae, at the regular business meeting last Tuesday, March 18.

At the conclusion of the meeting, Mrs. Morgan gave a brief talk commending the unit for the fine job it was doing locally with the various problems confronting all organizations and clubs.

The Auxiliary and Legion Post are collaborating with plans to produce a mystery comedy play in the near future. The play is not confined to the Legion groups. Anybody with acting aspirations or who has had experience with play producing is welcome to try out for parts.

There are still a few parts which have not been cast, and anyone interested is asked to contact Mrs. Dave Peterson, PLaza 5-7822 and Mr. Ray Logan, PLaza 5-4556.

SPARK PLUGS

Defective spark plugs hamper engine efficiency and also increase fuel consumption. Generally speaking, spark plugs should be cleaned, checked and adjusted every 5,000 miles and replaced every 10,000 miles, advises the California State Automobile Association.



IN PREPARATION FOR THE ANNUAL Scout Exposition, to be held at San Francisco's Cow Palace May 2 and 3, these Cub Scouts from the Lake Merced district start their ticket sale competition. All Scout units of the San Francisco Council are selling tickets, with seven districts competing in ticket sales. The units are participating on a commission basis. The map in the picture shows the planned around the world jet plane flight contest, with the unit selling the most tickets coming in first. Tickets to the exposition are selling at 75 cents for adults and 25 cents for children under 12. Shown in the picture above are (left to right) Cub Scout Denis Norrington of Pack 1; Ernie McAvoy, district sales manager; John Norrington, representing Pack 1 for ticket sales; Mrs. Norrington, den mother; Herbert Atwater, Cub Scout; D. C. Bryant, submaster for Pack 250; and Mrs. Walter Dickinson, representing den mother of Pack 250 for ticket sales. The picture was taken by Grant Bennion, Troop 92, Daly City district sales manager.

WELCOME To Daly City



New Families Moving Into Daly City Recently

The following are new arrivals in Daly City.

Ray L. Cox, 274 Edgemark street.

Robert K. Simmons, 251 Fairlawn avenue.

F. J. Chamberlain, 656 Bellevue street.

C. W. Rutherford, 6270 Mission street.

Orville Slason, 672 Evergreen avenue.

Arthur Barbata, 243 Fairlawn avenue.

Carl L. Carpenter, 149 Wilson street.

Mike Sharp, 160 School street.

G. A. Bigelow, 33 Forest Grove drive.

Frank M. Rubiales, 11 Fairway drive.

Ray J. Knight, 8 Belford drive.

Dave Young, 291 Westbrook avenue.

Linwood E. Frates, 248 Westbrook avenue.

Frank Meraglia, 247 Fairlawn avenue.

John Loughman, 255 Fairlawn avenue.

Edward L. Kase, 271 Fairlawn avenue.

James Edwards, 178 Thiers street.

Mrs. Helen Johnson, 237 Hillcrest drive.

Gino Baldocchi, 7123 Mission street.

R. M. Ricketts, 6270 Mission street.

Joe Bordenave, 32 Willits avenue.

John C. Morris, 32 First avenue.

Charles Barb, 75 Citrus avenue.

Emil Perich, 146 Westlawn.

George M. Wilson, 1154 Brunswick.

Gladys Schultz, 6016 Mission street.

C. E. Benett, 215 Winchester street.

F. B. IVY, 439 Niantic avenue.

Albert Gates, 48 Werner avenue.

Silva Figueroa, 565 Bellevue.

Eugene Le Sueur, 407 Santa Barbara avenue.

Walter C. Banchi, 65 Westdale avenue.

Donald L. Miller, 339 South Mayfair avenue.

Louis Becker, 211 Westbrook avenue.

Raymond F. Crampton, 239 Westbrook avenue.

Robert W. Radford, 221 Fairlawn avenue.

Leonard A. Steele, 287 Fairlawn avenue.

Jessie M. Brady, 228 Westbrook avenue.

D. K. Iwahashi, 622 San Diego avenue.

Joseph R. Petrie, 439 Winchester street.

Thomas V. Farrell, 276 Westbrook avenue.

Thomas Wagner, 7 First avenue.

C. M. Murphy, 7255 Mission street.

William Herschel, 343 Woodrow street.

"Land of Oz" Mountain Bound

The Mountain Theatre association plans to amplify the production of "The Land of Oz," this year's selection for the thirty-fifth annual Mount Tamalpais outdoor pageant. The actors may be easily heard by the 10,000 playgrounders in all parts of the vast Tamalpais amphitheater.

"The Land of Oz" is a fascinating dramatization of L. Frank Baum's story which has delighted children of all ages. Here again we meet some of the characters who entranced the famous "Wizard of Oz" story.

Casting for the mountain play, "The Land of Oz," is still open, some choice roles are still available. Clarence Miller, from San Francisco state college, directs the production.

The caribou is considered a stone age animal because drawings of it are among the earliest graphic records of man.



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Local Units Attend Annual Convention

Parents and teachers in this area attended the annual convention of Seventeenth District California Congress of Parents and Teachers Thursday, March 20, in Redwood City.

Mrs. Harry Caplan, of North Palo Alto, was elected president of the group for the coming year. Her first vice-president will be Mrs. George Elliott of Pescadero.

Awards for unit programs, magazines and memberships were presented by district chairmen. The Colma unit took one of the magazine awards.

The James L. Snell unit in Daly City received a program award.

Eagles Auxiliary To Nominate Officers

At its next meeting, the Ladies Auxiliary No. 1848, F.O.E., will hold a nomination for officers and candidates for convention, and for the Mother of the Auxiliary position. All members are asked to attend.

Mildred Dunn was initiated into the auxiliary at its last meeting. She was presented with her membership pin by Madame President Alberta Diebel. She is the daughter of the group's present secretary, Frances Nensiel.

Later in the meeting, Breta Morris was presented with a gift for her new son, Eric Carl Morris. The meeting concluded with refreshments served by Marge Lynch and her helpers.

Members of the organization expressed their satisfaction with the new coat of paint their meeting room received from members of the local Aerie.

In preparation for an auxiliary rummage sale, to be held March 27-28, persons who would like to donate saleable articles are asked to call PLaza 5-0192 or DElaware 3-8731. The articles will be called for.

Legion Auxiliary Sets Date For Monthly Whist Game

An evening of whist will be held tomorrow evening, March 28, at 474 San Diego avenue, it has been announced. Play will get underway at 8:30 p.m.

The whist is being sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary. The public is cordially invited.

ST. MICHAEL'S GROUP SCHEDULES FESTIVAL

St. Michael's parish is actively planning a Spring Festival which will be held in the new school auditorium on Farallones street on June 6, 7, and 8 inclusive.

Timothy Curtin is the executive chairman with Mrs. J. Mulholland and William Hartnett being general chairmen.

The Festival will benefit the building fund.

DEAR PARENTS

By Jane Keith

Even street corner conversations these days seem to wind up with the question of the race for City Council. Women who usually "shop talk" food prices, the weather—and their children—are adding up the posters around town and wondering. Men, still smarting from a losing bout with Uncle Sam, are counting their pennies and sizing up candidates who will do the same.

But, what with the Boosters, the Backers and the "Blackers"—Mr. Everyman is having trouble making up his mind. He would like to meet the various candidates face to face and man to man, but feels that a "politician to voter" meeting is the order of the day before April 8.

"If there was just some way to have a candidates MEETING NIGHT!" sighed one of my neighbors "where ALL candidates could be introduced and give even a brief resume of their platform—I'd feel better when I went to the polls."

Well, Dear Parents, I feel a lot the same way and if the Recreation Center was ready to open its doors I'll bet we'd have such a meeting!

Of course, there is the high school, but I am not just sure of rules for holding such a meeting there. But if it DID occur, it would be the first such meeting I have heard of in my six years residence in Daly City. How about asking, Mr. Everyman? Want to call Mr. Hannah, the high school superintendent, about rules and regulations?

Want to call your favorite candidate and ask him about it?

Such a meeting would make for a better understanding of our city government—and perhaps a better city government! Give it a try!

Bibbero's Babble

By STAN BIBBERO

The weather the past few days in Daly City has been something quite special. After a winter of cold, rain, hail and snow—which seemed destined to continue right through until the summer fogs—suddenly Spring descended with full force and the sun sparkled in a mild, blue sky.

Sounds great, doesn't it? You'd think there wouldn't be an unhappy soul in town. But, you just can't please some people. The other day I overheard a miserable character griping like mad because it was too hot, and he had to wander around in the sun.

Pondering deeply on this situation, I tried to think back on a time when the weather pleased everyone, and couldn't. Everybody is vitally concerned with weather, of all types. Thousands of inches appear in newspapers throughout the country each year about rain, cold, snow, drought, heat and floods.

It seems to be man's nature to resent weather, deeply. Perhaps it's because he can't do much about it—in spite of recent rain-making experiments. The mighty human, with an ego a mile wide, hates to admit there is anything on, or above this planet that he can't control. It bothers him mightily to know there is a force which can disrupt the normal course of his events—a force which can cause disaster, and which he can do nothing about.

Maybe, at some future time, man will learn how to control weather. It's a definite possibility.

Wandering into the office, I watched Mrs. Hanley answer these calls—which came at the rate of about one every few minutes—with unfailing patience and good humor. Contrasting her attitude with that of some people I know, work for city offices, I was forced to tip my non-existent hat to the lady. There should be more like her.

A new wood preservative, developed at the University of California, is now on the market. Called Chemonite, it combines copper salts to kill fungus decay, arsenic salts to kill termites and other wood-destroying insects.

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VILLAGE NOTES

BROADMOOR, GARDEN VILLAGE, COLMA

Mrs. Mark Swoverland
Plaza 5-4158

Hi there, here we are again with news of village interest. This seemed to be quite a popular week for parties. Must be these beautiful spring days.

Wildwood
Jimmy Harris celebrated his fifth birthday on March 22. Those enjoying the ice cream and cake included Harold and Lorrie McElhinny, David Mahoney, Susan Sherman, Ronnie and Janet Harrison, Bob Fambri, Martha Randall, May Jean Park, Irene Arejula, Kitty Lagoria, Timmy and Johnny Mahoney, and Marcia Hart.

Footbill
Gail Greer was a dinner guest of Patty Fitzpatrick on Patty's seventh birthday, March 18.

Mr. and Mrs. George Paizis were hosts at a dinner party Sunday honoring Mrs. Paizis' sister-in-law and her husband, Lt. and Mrs. Paizis, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Vasilakis, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Zoplos, Mr. and Mrs. Katronis, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Paizis, and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cuniherti and Jane and John were dinner guests Saturday evening of Mrs. T. Cuniherti of San Francisco. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. M. Bronelli and Jimmy and Diane, and Dr. and Mrs. H. Cuniherti and Betty and Sue.

Midway
Mr. and Mrs. Wade Locke and Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Mattson were guests last Thursday evening of Mr. Nils Totterman, an officer aboard the Swedish ship, Lion's Gate. They made a tour of the ship and received souvenirs brought from Finland.

Dickie and Tommy Crofton are two of the latest victims of the chicken pox bug.

Saturday afternoon on Midway saw many junior Frank Bucks on the trail of an escaped canary. Unfortunately, even with the ef-

forts of its mistresses, Joan and Audrey Stewart, the beautiful singer made good his flight through the window to freedom.

Nimitz
Little Nancy Blaunt was three years old March 19. Those helping her celebrate the occasion included Susie and Jimmy Dupont, Margaret Murray, Mary Margaret and Kathy Clark, Diane Rasmussen, Tom and Joanne Jenkins, Kathy Krost, Jeanie Franklin, Nancy Lynn Wright, and their mothers.

Maddux
Mrs. Carol Barka was hostess at a Stanley party Friday afternoon at which Shirley Newgaubauer was the demonstrator. Those attending included Irene Smillie, Mrs. Rittman, Jenny Giannini, Angela Offenbach, Mrs. Mason, Betty Arthur, and Betty Hart.

Larchmont
We are sorry to learn that we are losing the Jennings family, who are moving to Virginia. It seems you just have time to become acquainted with Army families when they are transferred.

Here and There
The work is moving right ahead on the new unit of the Broadmoor Community Church. Shifts of volunteers are working every night and Saturdays to have the building completed for the dedication ceremonies, to be held on Palm Sunday afternoon.

The Esther Circle met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Jean Cuniherti, of Footbill drive. Mrs. Marge Hopper of Colma was hostess to Martha Circle Wednesday afternoon.

87th
Mr. and Mrs. Mark Swoverland and Jimmy and Nancy took advantage of the sun Tuesday and spent the day picnicking at Samuel Taylor park in Marin county.

NEW ARRIVALS



FURRER
Weighing just one ounce shy of 10 pounds, a boy, John Peter, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Furrer, 61 Belmont drive, at St. Joseph's hospital March 18. The lusty nine pound, fifteen ounce is the Furrer's third child and first son.

EPIDENDIO
Mr. and Mrs. Kevin V. Espiden-dio, 499 Woodrow street, are the parents of an eight pound, four ounce baby boy, born March 17 at St. Mary's hospital. Christened Kevin Latham, the boy follows their two daughters, aged five and four.

SULLIVAN
March 14, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Dudley F. Sullivan, 17 Terrace avenue, Daly City, a son.

TURBIN
An six pound, 11 ounce boy who "looks just like his father" is the recently arrived third member of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome E. Turbin, 538 Vista Grande street. Named Gary, he was born March 8 at 8 p.m. at St. Mary's hospital.

ADAMSON
Christened after his uncle, six and a half pound Donald Adamson made his entrance at 3:10 p.m., March 12, at St. Joseph's hospital. Donald is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Adamson, 638 Larchmont drive, Colma.

HARRIS
February 16, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard S. Harris, 916 Heather road, Colma, a daughter.

ELLIOTT
Clark Taylor, latest addition to the family of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Elliott, Jr., 923 Bradley drive, Colma, reached the ripe old age of 16 days, that is—today, March 27. Weighing in at six pounds

five and a half ounces, Clark was born at the University of California hospital on March 12. He is the Elliott's third child.

LITTLE
March 15, 1952, to Mr. and Mrs. James J. Little, 96 Belmar avenue, Daly City, a daughter.

McENTEE
Tipping the scales at only four pounds, fifteen ounces, at birth, James William, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. McEntee, 334 Irvington, now weighs in at nearly six pounds, his mother reports. He was born March 6, at Harbor Permanente hospital, and has a sister, Joan, age 11, and a brother, Thomas, age nine.

GOMES
A son, David Paul, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gomes, 30 Cliffside drive, at 1:15 p.m., on March 11. Making his initial appearance at Children's hospital, David came in weighing a solid eight pounds, four ounces.

MCCARTHY
March 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond G. McCarthy, 401 South Mayfair avenue, Daly City, a daughter.

McELHINNY
A true son of the auld sod, Kevin Patrick McElhinny, made his appearance March 19 at Mt. Zion hospital. Weighing seven pounds, 10 ounces at birth, Kevin is the fourth child of Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. McElhinny, 7 Wildwood court, Colma.

SKLAVOS
A seven pound, seven and one half ounce son, named Steven, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Sam G. Sklavos, 95 Fairway drive, Daly City, at 10:50 a.m. March 14. The Sklavos' first son, Steven, was born at St. Luke's hospital.

TREBER
Their third child and second son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl D. Treber March 19 at St. Luke's hospital. The boy weighed six pounds, 10 ounces at birth. The Treber family lives at 16 Sheffield drive, Daly City.

Youngster Burns Hands On Stove At His Home
Raymond Gregorie, aged 13 months, 948 Hanover street, burned his hands on the kitchen stove last Thursday morning, and was treated at Junipero Serra Hospital, then sent home, according to a police report.

Local CCPT Units Urged To Attend Executive Session Plans For State Meet To Be Made

All local units are urgently requested to be represented at an executive board session of Seventeenth District California Congress of Parents and Teachers on Monday, March 31.

Mrs. G. J. Sirex, of San Carlos, president, will convene the meeting at 9:30 a.m. in the little theatre of Burlingame high school.

A final opportunity will be given at this time to secure badges and meal tickets for the state convention in San Francisco April 16-17-18. All those who can attend a district get-together Thursday evening, April 17, must also pay for their reservation now. Names, addresses and telephone numbers of new officers, particularly the presidents and secretaries-elect, are needed.

Data from the 1951-1952 annual reports compiled by the District financial officers show the funds distributed for PTA child welfare in San Mateo county. Honorary life memberships took in \$2,125 for state with shared benefits for teachers and social workers. For student programs \$18,760 was disbursed by the 74 units. Health chairmen spent another \$1205, and parent education committees accounted for \$711 in addition to adult education activities.

Financial statements do not adequately show the vast total of man hours invested in PTA by all officers and chairmen. Room mothers and hospitality chairmen are credited with continuing good home-school relationships wherever they are effectively organized.

SMJC Events Students Active In Drama Groups

Two San Mateo Junior College faculty members, Dr. David Rempe and William Goss, wrote several chapters in the series of books now being published to tell the history of the United States Air Force. Both men were in the Air Force during World War II. Critics are praising the four volumes already published out of the seven which will make up the full series.

A "Domino" dance will be held by the jaycee students this Saturday evening in the Coyote Point campus gym. All attending are asked to wear something black and white to carry out the costume idea. Faculty members will be patrons and patronesses.

Short shorts from the college: The students were entertained by a magician at their recent assembly; the student body will have a paper drive Sunday, May 4, to raise money for jaycee activities; a Red Cross drive is now in progress on the three campuses; Dan Stewart of Oakland was elected president of the low freshman class.

The junior college tennis recently took all their matches with Stockton College, and the jaycee golf team took every point in a golf match with Stockton. The golfers also won easily from Contra Costa East jaycee and have a perfect record to date.

Each drama group affiliated with the junior college is busy on some play. This includes the Millbrae Players, the junior college Players Club, and the Peninsula Little Theatre. The last named is presenting one play, rehearsing another for production at the junior college, and reviewing two plays to be presented in Monterey.

Bayshore PTA To Install Officers At Next Meet

Installation of officers will highlight the next regular meeting of the Bayshore PTA, scheduled April 2 at 2 p.m. in the Bayshore school auditorium. Refreshments will be served.

Spring was ushered in at the Bayshore school with the annual Bayshore PTA spring bazaar. Mrs. L. V. Ottinger, chairman, and Mrs. B. Klienworth, co-chairman, thanked all for making the affair a success.

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The Record Women's Page

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WOMEN OF COURT ST. MARY look over a few articles in advance of a communion shower to be held at the April 3 meeting of the Court, for a class of new communicants of orphan Indian children of the Navajo tribe in New Mexico and Arizona. The ladies also are checking over a completed baby layette, assembled by members for war relief services. Shown above are (left to right) Mrs. Ricco Ottonello, Mrs. Richard J. Ennis, Mrs. Arthur Heyden and Mrs. T. G. Holmes. (Photo by Pat Corner)

Legion Auxiliary Sponsors Contest

Sponsored by the American Legion auxiliary, a poppy poster contest is currently being conducted throughout the Jefferson school district, according to Mrs. Olga Bordson, poppy chairman for the Daly City area.

Continuing through May 1, the contest is open to high school and elementary students in Daly City, Broadmoor and Brisbane.

Chairman for Broadmoor is Mrs. Doris Snover. Mrs. Maude Millen is in charge for the Brisbane area. Conducted on the school level by high school and elementary art teachers, the contest is divided into three sections: for the fourth, fifth and sixth grades; for the seventh, eighth and ninth grades; and for the tenth, eleventh and twelfth grades.

First, second and third prizes will be offered, and honorable mentions made, said Mrs. Bordson. Judges and the prizes they will give will be made public in the near future, she added.

VFW Auxiliary Elect New Officers

An election of officers was held at the March 25 meeting of Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary No. 9921. Installment will take place April 19 in the Colma Community center.

New officers include: Rose Fisher, president; Hilda Stettler, senior vice president; Lorraine Monks, junior vice president; Stella Magoon, treasurer; Anita Woods, chaplain; Hazel Eagleton, conductress and historian.

Yvonne McBain, guard; Ruth Castiel, assistant guard; Viola Fontes, Claire Alves and Dorothy Goodwin as third, second and first year trustees.

Jean Cuykendall and Claire Alves were elected as county council alternates, and Stella Magoon and Viola Fontes were elected as district No. 12 delegates. Alternates will be Hilda Stettler and Jean Cuykendall.

Ethel Diaz was appointed to the post of patriotic instructor, and Viola Fontes and Claire Alves became color bearers number two and four.

INITIATION IS HELD BY ROYAL NEIGHBORS

Friday evening, March 21, Vista Grande Camp No. 6035, Royal Neighbors of America, held a formal initiation at Little Italy Hall.

The initiation was conducted by Oracle Agnes Wood, and the following candidates were taken into the group as new members:

Blanche Carter, Velma Davis, Madeline Ford, Sylvia Hassett, Kay Nessier, Roberta Taylor, Daisy Wood and Marie Wood.

Decorations and refreshments carried out the St. Patrick's Day theme.

New Women's Club To Organize Here

All young women in the Daly City area interested in joining the Junior Women's Club here are invited to attend an organizational meeting scheduled for April 2, at 8 p.m. in the council chambers in city hall.

Mrs. Robert Serr, first vice-president for junior membership for the California Federation of Women's Clubs, will address the meeting, and will discuss membership in the organization. She will also talk on the annual convention of California clubs, to be held May 23-24 at the Claremont Hotel in Berkeley.

Women under 35 who are interested in obtaining additional information about the new club may call Mrs. Carl Timmons, Plaza 5-8280.

Red Cross Cancels Parade To Aid Victims

Because of the current tornado disaster in the south the local Red Cross chapter is using all its energy to collect the additional quota of \$5,000 which has been assigned to it by the National organization.

Therefore, the parade scheduled for Saturday, March 29, has been cancelled. A "thank you" celebration honoring workers is being planned for April 19th. Details will be announced later.

Colma Man Gives Blood

Glenn D. Frater, of Colma, has made his first donation to the San Mateo County Blood Bank, it has been revealed by officials there.

Luncheon and Whist Enjoyed Recently By Fleet Reserve

Twenty members of the "Ladies Fleet Reserve Auxiliary, Unit 48," attended a get-together luncheon and whist game at the home of Mrs. Estelle Labele in Albany recently.

Co-hostessing were Virginia Hines and Doris King. Gertrude Hattings, resident of Daly City and hospitality chairman for the organization's work at the Veterans Administration's Fort Riley hospital, reports that Zena Williams, Barbara Stinson and Rae Armstrong were prize winners at the luncheon whist.

"But," she added, "the prizes we give to the veterans when we have a Bingo game for them on the second Tuesday of each month are the ones that count—because we put our heart into those visits."

"What are the prizes?" "Well," says Mrs. Hattings, "we give eight cartons of cigarettes and \$8 in quarters as prizes for the Bingo. But, we also cover 80 penny boxes of matches with some monthly or seasonal design. These are not prizes, but are just handed out to the men with our best wishes."

Further information about the organization can be obtained by phoning Gladys Holt in Colma, or by contacting her personally at Kiddieville, in Broadmoor.

St. Michael's Mothers Club To Meet April 1

The first regular meeting of the newly formed Mothers Club of St. Michael's school will be held in the new school auditorium on Farallones street, on April 1 at 8 p.m.

At that time the officers will be installed by Father John T. Foudy.

Archery Equipment Is Taken From School Area

A theft of 30 metal spikes and 26 leather archery arm guards from the archery storeroom at Jefferson Union high school was reported Monday to local police.

Entrance evidently was gained by pushing boards off the shed, according to police reports.

Sportswomen Told Of Lakeside Plans

The March report for District Seven was a feature at the last meeting of the Daly City Sportswomen, with several improvements listed for the Lake Merced area, including repair of present floats, additional floats, a new pier for the south lake, and a fill along the south barrier for launching boats and trailers.

Vice Admiral Will Speak At Meeting Of Westlake PTA

Installation Also Slated At Session

Vice Admiral Charles A. Lockwood, U. S. Navy, retired, commander of submarines in the Pacific Area during World War II, author of the documentary volume, "Sink 'Em All," and present general manager of the Moore Industrial Co., will speak to members of the Westlake PTA at a meeting April 3.

Admiral Lockwood's topic will be, "Are Wars Necessary?" For several months, the naval expert has been addressing PTA groups in the Peninsula and Santa Clara area on subjects connected with his highly specialized field.

A special invitation has been extended to fathers to attend this meeting, because of the special interest to them. The meeting will be held at the Westlake clubhouse, 95 South Mayfair avenue, at 8 p.m.

This meeting will also serve to install the newly elected officers of the unit. Mrs. Harry Kaplan, new president of the Seventeenth District, will take charge of the evening's installation ceremonies.

This will be the first time that Mrs. Kaplan acts as installing officer since becoming president of the district.

Refreshments for the evening will be provided by the fourth grade parents.

Mrs. Edward Dennis Named PTA Official

At the final meeting of the 1951-52 executive board, held last Tuesday, the appointment of Mrs. Edward J. Dennis to serve as the Colma PTAs parliamentary for the coming year, was approved. Mrs. Dennis is well qualified, having served the unit previously in this capacity. She is also a past president and an honorary life member, and was membership chairman for the past year.

Final plans were made for the Installation Dinner to be held Wednesday evening, April 2, at The Colonial, Junipero Serra boulevard, Colma. Dinner reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Jack Clayton, Plaza 5-3622; Mrs. George Bertucci, Plaza 5-5040; or Mrs. John C. Wiesner, Plaza 5-0072. Reservations close Monday, March 31. All members and their friends are invited.

The following members have been elected and will be installed during the evening by Mrs. Stella Jensen: Mrs. Sanford Vickers, president; Mrs. Roy Foster, vice-president; Mrs. George Bertucci, recording secretary; Mrs. Joseph Doyle, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Claude Newman, treasurer; Mrs. William Chessman, auditor; Mrs. Edward J. Dennis, parliamentarian; and Mrs. John C. Wiesner, historian.

The Colma Parent-Teacher association is proud to announce it has won two awards at the recent district convention for the past year's work—one for the most subscriptions to the National Parent-Teacher for a unit of its size, and the second one for its program for the year.

Nurses Aid Group Will Be Organized

At a recent meeting of all committee members of the Civilian Defense program in the Broadmoor district, the Broadmoor American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 824, was made responsible for organizing a nurses aid group to assist in casualty stations with first aid, assist in hospital and outpatient clinics, serve under orders in helping field casualties, and work in conjunction with the medical units in establishing and equipping emergency aid stations throughout this district.

The American Red Cross has offered to teach a class in first aid and home nursing if enough people from this district can be enrolled to form an evening class.

All people interested in taking the first aid course, or in assisting in any other phase of civilian defense may contact Mrs. Peggy Merchant, Plaza 5-1223, or Paul Schmidt, Plaza 5-3838.

Child Treated For Traffic Accident Injuries

Three-year-old Danny Norton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Norton, 627 MacArthur drive, was treated for minor lacerations of the forehead Tuesday when he was struck by an auto driven by Franklin T. Conrad, 632 Larchmont drive, Broadmoor. The child was taken to Junipero Serra hospital.

According to Broadmoor Police Chief Paul Schmidt, Conrad was driving south on MacArthur at 4:25 p.m. when he stopped to allow two boys to cross. A moment later, Danny ran out in front of the car and was struck. Fortunately, the auto was barely moving, said Chief Schmidt.

No citation was issued.

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Cpl. ABED HASBUN, 125 Bismark Street, is interviewed by Mrs. P. R. Brouse of San Mateo, a volunteer social worker for the Red Cross. Cpl. Hasbun called on the Red Cross to get information concerning a service allotment for his mother.

Red Cross Activities

Local Soldier Appeals For Help After Business Wiped Out By Earthquake

Corporal Abed Hasbun, 125 Bismark Street, came to the Red Cross for help in obtaining his service allotment for his mother.

The family, Abed, Maurice (14) and Gloria (whose husband is fighting in Korea at present) came to the United States in 1947 from El Salvador. Their business had been wiped out by the terrible earthquake of that year, but the father has remained to salvage what he could from the wreckage. The Hasbuns are Arabians, although the children were born and brought up in the Latin American country.

In 1949 Abed enlisted in the Army, 7th Division, 17th Regiment of the Infantry. He was sent to Korea in 1950 where he saw action from Inchon to Seoul. He was wounded while fighting in North Korea, his life saved by plasma. Corporal Hasbun had himself given blood in direct transfusion on the battlefield to a wounded buddy, and knows well the vital importance of both giving and receiving blood.

Citations

He wears the Korean Presidential Citation, the United States Presidential Citation, and the Purple Heart among other campaign ribbons. He spent three months in the hospital in Japan, and is now a patient at Letterman Army Hospital in San Francisco. When he is released he plans to make the Army his career.

Corporal Hasbun's case was one of 4229 processed last year by Home Service Department of the local Red Cross chapter. This department serves as a link between a man in the armed forces, and his home. It furnishes information requested by the military, aids servicemen, veterans and their families in settling claims and gives counseling service. AL-

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Last Of Series Of Winning Essays Is Printed This Week

(Ed. Note: This is the last in a series of prize-winning essays to be presented in THE RECORD. Winners were all from Colma School.)

Second honorary mention in the annual Lincoln essay contest, sponsored by the Daly City water department, went to Jackie Hansen, a Colma School eighth grader, whose essay follows:

"Abraham Lincoln was indeed one of our greatest presidents. Born in a poor log cabin he grew to be great in wisdom. He was brought into the world on a cold February morning in the year 1809.

"On a trip to New Orleans he saw Negro children crying and Negro parents being sold to men with cruel faces. Lincoln said he never would forget this sight. 'If I ever get a chance to hit that thing,' he said, 'I'll hit it hard.'

"The chance came to Abraham Lincoln, but only after years of hard struggle. To earn a living he tried his hand at many different things. He clerked in a store in the village of New Salem, Illinois. He worked as a surveyor. He became a store owner himself, and won a reputation for honesty, but did not make money. In fact, he had to work more than 15 years to pay off his debts. He studied law and became a successful lawyer in Springfield, Illinois.

"The day came when he was chosen for the highest office in the land, that of President of the United States. The task he faced was indeed great, it was that of guiding the nation through the most bitter and difficult years of its history, the civil war, when the northern Yankees were fighting the southern Confederates.

"At last the war was over, and the man who had brought the nation safely through the struggle was reelected president. Speaking to all the people on the day of his inauguration Lincoln begged them to forget their differences and make a real peace with 'malice toward none and charity for all.'

"Now the great leader could rest and smile again. He went to the theater and sat in a box, watching a play. Suddenly a shot was heard. A man crazed with hate had fired at the President. Lincoln died the next morning.

"Since his death the world has come to realize how great Abraham Lincoln really was. No American ever did more for his country or was closer to the hearts of his people."

Council Considers New Stop Signs

Lombardi Thanked For Cooperation

Under consideration by the city council today is a plan to install stop signs at the intersection of Gambetta street and Hillside boulevard and Market street and Hillside boulevard.

City Administrator Dan Andersen said the request for the signs had come from the Edgewood-Hillside Improvement Club. He indicated they had received the approval of the police department.

In a letter to THE RECORD today the Edgewood Club thanked Frank Lombardi, manager of Lombardi's Auto Service, for removing two derelict automobiles from the lot on Hillside boulevard, which was fast becoming an eyesore to the community and dangerous to the children playing in and about them.

"Lombardi appreciated us bringing this to his attention and promised full cooperation on any matter of which he can be of service."

"This type of spirit and cooperation is what our entire community needs more of to help make our city a better place in which to live."

Fontana Prepares Election Campaign

Elio A. Fontana, 33, who recently announced his candidacy for the Jefferson high school board of trustees is getting ready for the coming election on May 16.

It is felt that new blood is needed on such an important position—a young man who will undertake this responsibility seriously and conscientiously so as to better serve his community.

Fontana is a progressive young man who knows and understands the problems of youth, and has been actively interested in youth welfare for several years.

As past president of the Daly City-Colma Lions club, Fontana has been a leader in youth activities in this community, and has the experience and qualifications to completely handle the position of school trustee.

Fontana came from a pioneer Colma family who have lived here and been in business in Colma for over 30 years.

He attended and graduated from the local schools, including Jefferson high school.

In 1937 he held the office of student body president at the Jefferson high school.

Fontana, a veteran of World War II, having served four years in the armed forces, including service in the European theater of operations attached to army headquarters intelligence.

Upon his return to civilian life, he re-entered the monument business in Colma, where he has been associated with his father.

Parked Car Struck In Broadmoor Area Tues.

Robert M. Scott, 1 Corte Comoda, Millbrae, reported to Daly City police Tuesday evening that someone struck his car while it was parked in the Broadmoor shopping area.

The rear door and fender were damaged. A witness said it was a woman driver, and police are investigating.

In the B league, it will be Perpetual Help vs. Wolverines, Colma Tigers vs. Colma Yankees, Scavengers vs. Indians.

A League play will see the Pirates vs. The Tumbling Terriers and the Dragons vs. OLPH.

April 10 Will Be Big Day For Kids And Easter Eggs

Thursday, April 10, is the big day for the egg hunters of Daly City. At 2:30 p.m. on that day every rock and bush will be hopelessly uprooted in search of something from the Easter Bunny.

And it has been planned that no one will be disappointed. Adequate eggs and sites will be provided for the youngsters.

The three sites used last year will again be available to the city for this egg hunt. The first of these sites is on Frankfort street, the second site at Gambetta street, and the third site in Westlake, slightly changed from its position last year.

This will enable all of the residents of Daly City to easily reach one of these areas. Each location will be abundantly stocked with eggs and prizes.

At the Frankfort site R. Linhares will be in charge. He will be assisted by a chairman for each of the three age groups in the hunt. For the age group five and under Mrs. Lyons, Mrs. Muller, and Mrs. Jaymat will be in charge. From the age group six to eight Mrs. Prisco, Mrs. Ingersol, and Mrs. Keith will preside, and a group from Our Lady of Perpetual Help, under Mrs. Denning's guidance, will be in charge of the age group from nine to twelve.

At the Gambetta site D. Sienes will be in charge. He will be assisted by the Woodrow Wilson PTA under the direction of Mrs. Unger for the age group five and under, by the Colma PTA for the age group two to eight. Mrs. Heagney assisted by Mrs. Callahan and Hillside PTA will dye all eggs and also be in charge of the age group nine to twelve. At Westlake D. Woll will handle the site, assisted by the Westlake PTA and James Snell PTA.

With this organizational setup the event promises to be a big one, and the Easter Bunny will very generously spread his joy.

In the event of rain or wet grounds it has been planned that the egg hunt will start on the following Saturday at 11 a.m.

Cub Scout Pack Is Winner Of Awards At Roundtable Meet

By TOM MCINERNEY

Pack 62, Cub Scouts, was the winner of two awards, it was disclosed at the roundtable meeting recently.

The commissioners inspection award was accepted on behalf of the pack by Cubmaster Dean Wills, and will be flown from the pack's standard.

The award of the window display ribbon came as a surprise, inasmuch as there was no supervised direction of any display. However, the award was gratefully accepted by Bob Burns, committee chairman of Pack 62.

The father and sons night baseball game was well attended by Cub Packs from all over the city.

Pack 62 takes this opportunity to thank Paul Fagan of the San Francisco Baseball Club for a very enjoyable evening.

It is hoped that other organizations will follow his lead in contributing entertainment to their future fairs.

As the baseball game fell on the regular pack meeting night, there was, of course, no meeting.

A flood of applications for membership in the Cubs makes it imperative that new den mothers be found. Any young woman between the ages of 21 and 101 who likes young fellows between the ages of eight and 11, and would like to act as counselor and supervisor to approximately eight boys, will be welcomed with open arms by the committee of Pack 62.

For further particulars please call Bob Burns at PLaza 5-1641, or Dean Wills at PLaza 5-6958.

Please volunteer to be a den mother.

This One Tries Lotion, But Kick Is Too Strong

The list of curious children keeps growing each week. Tuesday Ellen Simonini, 140 Bueing avenue, aged two, decided to tip a bottle of baby lotion. She was treated at Junipero Serra hospital, then returned home.

High School Offers Concert Tomorrow

A chorus, orchestra, band, dance band and drum majorettes will be featured in the Jefferson Union high school's Annual Spring Concert to be presented tomorrow, Friday, March 28, at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium.

Guest soloist for the evening will be baritone Carl Holmes from San Francisco State college. The program will be under the joint direction of Eunice Seaton, choral director, and Alfred Runnels, instrumental director.

The program will include over 22 works, varying from classical to popular. Among the numbers offered will be "The Desert Song," "Old Man River," and "On Top of Old Smoky."

Folk dancers will be supervised by Mrs. Newsinger, art work by Mrs. Brent, stage crew by Mr. Mosely, and programs by Mrs. Reandeau.

New Motor Center Grand Opening Is Set For Saturday

The grand opening for Daly City's newest business venture is scheduled for this Saturday, when the Ciardella Brothers' Motor Center, 7499 Mission street, gets its official christening.

Featuring the sale of petroleum products, and affiliated with the Texas Company, the new station will offer the usual services to the public, including brake service, minor motor repairs, lubrication.

Carl, Ray and Nick—the three Ciardella brothers—will be on hand to greet the customers. The Ciardella family has been located in this area for many years.

The new building, modern in every respect, was constructed especially by the brothers for the motor center. Service hours will be from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m., seven days a week.

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LEGAL ADVERTISING

NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR ORDER AUTHORIZING EXECUTORS TO MAKE LEASE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo. In the Matter of the Estate of CHARLES S. HOWARD, also known as Charles Stewart Howard, also known as C. S. Howard, Deceased.—No. 17002.

NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR ORDER AUTHORIZING EXECUTORS TO MAKE LEASE

Notice is hereby given that Crocker First National Bank of San Francisco, a national banking association, Marcela Zabala Howard, Charles S. Howard, Jr., Lindsay C. Howard and Robert Stewart Howard, as Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Charles S. Howard, Deceased, have filed in this Court their verified petition for order authorizing them, as Lessors to execute a lease for drilling for, producing and removing oil, gas and/or associated substances from that certain real property situated in the County of Madera, State of California, consisting of approximately 4,262 acres and which property is particularly described in Exhibit A attached to said petition. That the property sought to be leased is the undivided one-quarter interest of the estate of the above named decedent in and to said real property and is for the term of twenty (20) years and so long thereafter as Lessee conducts drilling, deepening, repairing, re-drilling or producing operations on said property for oil, gas, etc. That the hearing of said petition has been fixed by the Clerk of said Court for Wednesday the 9th day of April, 1952, at the hour of 9:45 o'clock A.M. of said day, at the courtroom of the Presiding Judge at the Court House in Redwood City, in said County of San Mateo, State of California, and that all persons interested in said estate are notified then and there to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted.

For a particular description of said real property and for the terms and conditions of said lease reference is hereby made to said petition on file in the records of said estate.

DATED: Redwood City, March 26, 1952.

(SEAL)

JOHN A. BRUNING,

By ALMA PAGANINI UTAH, Clerk

(ENDORSED)

FILED MARCH 26, 1952.

JOHN A. BRUNING, Clerk

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(Pub. March 27, April 3, 1952.)

Locals Take Second In Winter League

Winning the playoff game with Cooper Varni by a score of 4-3, Vince and Fred's Liquors, for the second year, have taken the number two spot in the City AA Winter League.

The playoffs were held Sunday at Funtion field.

Charlie Donley was the winning pitcher. Donley—who has taken eight games during the winter league play—leaves tomorrow, March 28, for training camp. From there, he heads for Yakima, to play pro ball for the San Francisco Seals farm team.

Donley took over the pitching chores when Vince Voto suffered an injury in the fifth and left the box for right field.

Also contributing to the win was the defensive play of third baseman Neil Decker, and shortstop Don McCarthy, a newcomer to the team.

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Ordinance No. 353

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING INTENTION OF THE CITY OF DALY CITY TO VACATE PORTIONS OF PUBLIC STREETS AND FIXING TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN OR OBJECTING TO SUCH PROPOSED VACATION

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Daly City is informed that the certain street known as Elmwood Drive and a portion of Westbrook Avenue in said City hereinafter described is unnecessary for present or prospective public street purposes; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to take the necessary proceedings under the Street Vacation Act of 1941, vacating said street and portions of said street;

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Daly City does ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. It is the intention of said City Council to vacate that certain street known as Elmwood Drive and that certain portion of Westbrook Avenue as hereinafter described situated in the City of Daly City, County of San Mateo, State of California, described as follows:

The public street and a portion of a street as said streets are shown and delineated on that certain map entitled "Westlake Unit No. 4 Daly City, San Mateo County, California" recorded on August 25, 1950 in Books 32 of Maps at pages 8, 9 and 10, Records of San Mateo County, California, proposed to be abandoned are particularly described as follows:

(a) All of Elmwood Drive, including the curved portions at the northerly line of Southgate Avenue and the southeasterly line of Westbrook Avenue.

(b) That portion of Westbrook Avenue from the northeasterly line of Dorchester Drive, including the curved portions thereof, to the southeasterly line of that strip of land 60 feet in width noted on said map "Not a part of this map," including the curved portions at said southeasterly line.

SECTION 2. Reference is hereby made to the maps on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Daly City for particulars as to the proposed vacation.

SECTION 3. Monday, the 28th day of April, 1952, at 8:00 o'clock P.M. of said day, in the Council Chambers in the City Hall of the City of Daly City, and the same is hereby fixed as the time and place for hearing all persons interested in or objecting to said proposed vacation.

SECTION 4. Notices of street vacation shall be posted conspicuously along the line of the portions of said streets so proposed to be vacated. Such notices shall be posted not more than 300 feet apart, but at least three shall be posted, and such notices shall state the passage of this Ordinance of Intention and the time and place of hearing thereon.

SECTION 5. At the time and place aforesaid, said City Council will hear the evidence offered by any person interested and, if said City Council then finds from all the evidence submitted that such portion of said streets are unnecessary for present or prospective public street purposes, said City Council will make its Order vacating said above-described portions of said streets.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall be published once in The Record, a newspaper published weekly in said City of Daly City, California, and hereby designated for that purpose, and shall take effect and be in force at the expiration of thirty (30) days from and after its passage.

Introduced this 10th day of March, 1952.

Passed and adopted as an ordinance of the City of Daly City the 24th day of March, 1952, by the following vote:

AYES, Councilmen: Bertetta, Gaggero, Kennedy, Mooney, Green.

NOES, Councilmen: None.

ABSENT, Councilmen: None.

B. C. ROSS

City Clerk of the City of Daly City

APPROVED:

J. P. GREEN

Mayor of the City of Daly City (Pub. March 27, 1952.)



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AN EASTER RABBIT'S DREAM COME TRUE, the yard-high egg pictured above is currently on view at the Relish Bakery, 6356 Mission street. Decorated with various colored chickens, geese and rabbits, the giant egg looks good but is definitely inedible, says Ernest Oertle, bakery foreman. (Photo by Pat Corner)

Easter Egg Recipe Calls For Wooden Barrel, Sugar And Electric Motor

To make an Easter egg such as the one pictured, start with one medium-sized barrel. Saw an opening in the lower half of the barrel and apply a base layer made with the whites of a few dozen eggs mixed with a small amount of powdered sugar. Insert in the sawed-out opening a small turntable, powered by an electric motor. Then cover barrel and turntable with a few score Mother Goose-type fowl made of the same egg and sugar mixture.

The result, says Ernest Oertle, foreman and ornamenteer at the Relish Bakery, 6356 Mission street will make a nice window display. However, it is not for human consumption, being inclined to chip teeth and ruin digestion.

Oertle, in his sixteenth year with the bakery, hails from Luzerne, Switzerland, where he spent a three year apprenticeship learning how to bake pastries which, unlike the giant egg, are highly edible.

Prior to coming to the U. S., he worked at his trade throughout France, Germany and England.

But ornamenting and decorating the sweet stuff is his first love. Using a tray filled with paper tubes of a colored mixture of butter, eggs and sugar, he can decorate a birthday cake in less time than it takes a housewife to look up a recipe.

Each of the conical tubes is tipped with a small metal nozzle, and each nozzle with a particular type opening for each job. Picking up one, he lays a network of green stems on a double-layer cake. Another, when properly manipulated, makes leaves, and a third extrudes flowers.

For writing, he uses another tube—filled with a jelly solution—with a special nozzle. With it, Oertle can knock out "Happy Birthday, Algernon" in the finest of Spencerian scripts.

For fancy, built-up flowers such as roses, he uses a small gadget that looks like a silver dollar mounted on a nail. Holding the nail section in one hand he twirls the round platform while squeezing out pastry petals with the other. The result looks like a first prize in any garden show.

Unlike the big egg, however, these pastries and their decorations never get into the display window. The sun would quickly reduce them to a glob of goo, he reports.

In only one respect does the pastry ornament differ from the more conventional artist, who works in oils and watercolors. "If it goes wrong the first time," says Oertle, "you can't take it off without ruining the cake."

But then, the palate, not the eye, should be the final judge.

Housewife Says Foothill Drive Area Has Extremely Bad Erosion Problem

Dear Sir:

In regard to your recent interest in erosion problems in Broadmoor Village, I wish to call your attention to the problem of upper Foothill drive.

For the past two years we have had erosion problems which Stone's half-hearted attempts have not improved at all.

We cannot have backyards be-

cause of the silt and debris which the runoff from our hill washed down.

If your photographers would care to use any of our backyards for photographic material, we would be glad to cooperate. Anything to get this mess cleared up for good.

Sincerely yours,
Mrs. R. C. Cuniberti

Residents Donate \$144 To Heart Fund Campaign

Heart disease, the nation's number one killer, received a blow in 1952, according to Mrs. George C. Close, director of the San Mateo county heart fund campaign.

Daly City residents dropped a total of \$144.29 into the red plastic hearts used for donations.

The plastic heart program for voluntary contributions was handled here by the Daly City fire department. A total of \$1334.57 was collected throughout the county via the plastic hearts.

Of the county goal of \$20,000, slightly more than \$14,250 has been collected, Mrs. Close added.

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CALIFORNIA SPEAKS

Significant Statements by Interesting Californians

LIEUT. GOV. GOODWIN KNIGHT, Sacto. — "Washington needs more pruning and less grafting."

WILLIAM R. KNAPP, S. F. Brewing exec. — "The United States is gradually going dry."

EDWARD R. MURROW, TV commentator, in Calif., on ban on telecasts in Congress — "Mikes and camera should be able to go wherever a reporter or the public can go."

BILLY GRAHAM, evangelist, in L. A. — "Don't let the City of Angels go to the devil."

WILLIS PARKER, S. F. animal authority — "Mothers of today might learn a lot about child care by watching animals take care of their young."

Sequoia School District Asked To Vote On Bonds

REDWOOD CITY — Bonds totalling \$2,250,000 will be asked of voters of Sequoia Union High school district at the May 16 election, it was agreed at last week's meeting of the board of trustees.

Three States in Mexico account for approximately 85 per cent of that country's coffee production.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Record welcomes any letter on any event of public, or private interest. These letters are published at no expense to the writer. There are just two requirements: the letters must be signed, and must be within the laws of libel. We hope readers will show enough interest in their city to occasionally "sound off" for the purpose of this column is to give you, the reader, a chance to express an opinion.

St. Vincent de Paul Official Asserts 'Blood Donor' Organization Is A "Racket"

March 24, 1952

Editor:

Undoubtedly you noticed the news item in a San Francisco newspaper which told of the halting of a "blood donor racket" by the District Attorney's office and the Police department bureau detail. You may be interested to know that this action was inspired by our complaint to the Better Business Bureau of San Francisco.

This organization covered all the homes in Daly City in the week of February 11, leaving a pamphlet which purported to show Blood Research, Inc., as a non-profit corporation and a charitable organization devoted to the protection of public health through research.

It maintained a statement that their purpose was to establish and maintain blood research laboratories devoted to the development of preventative and curative treatments of deficiencies in blood, etc. The pamphlet concluded with a statement that under the organization's policy they undertook to aid in a material way in the community a charitable need that may exist or merit immediate activity (whatever that means).

With the blue card headed Thursday, it stated a social worker would call on that day for any item no longer used, listing clothing, etc., and stating this would

No More Parades

Council Candidates Call For Halt Of Political Marches Through D. C. Streets

Members of the

Daly City Council

Gentlemen:

During the past two weeks many supporters for the election of Dennis and Gross have requested that we have a mammoth automobile parade throughout the streets of Daly City on election eve.

There are rumors that the Mooney, Verducci ticket propose a like demonstration to include a number of automobiles driven by students from a San Francisco college.

In fairness to all concerned we

help the needy at home and give employment to people unable to work through our Relief Center.

The Better Business Bureau reported to us on the hearing. The evidence showed that the organization was "phony"; that the truck driver receives 75 % of the proceeds, the other 25 % was supposed to go to the treasurer of the organization, who testified he had not received a cent since being appointed. The truck driver claimed he gave his personal check to the President of the organization but just what happened to that check is not clear.

In any event, the first and only truck load of materials collected in Daly City was sold for \$352.00.

No criminal action was taken against the alleged organizer, Leslie D. Ford, 1197 South Van Ness avenue, but he was warned that any further activities would result in his arrest.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society maintains a salvage bureau in Daly City. Its work is well known to the citizens of our community. Anyone who has any old clothes or discarded articles which have a reusable value, should phone PLaza 5-4346 and our truck will call for the article.

Sincerely,
John E. Colhurst,
Secretary,
93 Muirwood Drive

Local Resident Queries Candidate On Qualifications For City Council

Editor:

The following questions were submitted by me to Councilman Ed Mooney. Following are his answers:

Q. To Ed Mooney: Just what was the purpose of cutting Brunswick street through to Mission?

A. The cutting through of Brunswick street has a very definite purpose and believe me, it was not started just to give the council another place to spend money! The Brunswick street cut will eliminate the bottleneck of Mission street in case of enemy attack. By providing a route par-

allel to Mission that could be kept clear in case of emergency this road should be considered the spearhead of Daly City's Civilian Defense program!

Q. When this road is completed, will the city force the construction of a REAL sidewalk along the quarry? We people in Edgewood Terrace and Hillside Manor are getting mighty tired of that eyesore and footsore stretch of ground, you know!

A. When the road is completed the sidewalk will go in—and since the council is now negotiating for "slide" rights on Mr. Smith's property—it shouldn't be too far in the future.

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Jeff Trackmen Are Third In Friday's PAL Triple Meet

Jefferson's cinder burners, in competition last Friday with Palo Alto, Burlingame and Capuchino, managed to come out with a third place, behind Burlingame and the winning Palo Alto athletes.

Paly's varsity squad took the first PAL triple meet victory of the season, with 67 points. Burlingame followed with 43, and Jefferson gathered 30%. Capuchino tallied points only in the C division.

Jefferson placed second, with 29 points, in the thirties division, and last, with six points, in the twenties.

Al Schlemone won Jeff's only first place in the top division, running the 220-yard sprint in :23.9. The Panthers won seven of the 11 class B events for a total of 56 points. Jefferson's Dave Coats won their only firsts, to help top Paly's 27 with their own 29.

Two Samaritans Provide Bench For Commuters

Thanks to the munificence of Frank Lombardi of Lombardi Auto Service, 6458 Mission, and the persistence of Mrs. Lydia Talbot, 244 Westlake avenue, local commuters now have a place to rest their weary bones while waiting for busses at the Mission and San Jose stops.

Mrs. Talbot noted that package-laden commuters were forced to stand while waiting for their transportation. She sent out an SOS, in the hope that some local samaritan would come to the bus-riders rescue. Lombardi did.

He furnished a bench, with compliments, for the strap-hangers use. Mrs. Talbot, on behalf of many a commuter, expresses her thanks.

"Now," she says, "we need an awning there for a windbreak."

Sarto AC Tackle Eagles; Three Stars Go To Pros

Sarto AC, after steamrolling the Portola Merchants 10-1 last Sunday, moves on to Marchbank to tackle the Blue Eagles at 2 p.m. this Sunday, March 30.

The Sartosmen squeezed their 10 runs out of a total of 13 hits, while the Merchants left four of their five hits stranded on base.

Sunday's game will see the locals forced to operate without three of their best men. Left fielder Ronny Root and second baseman Jim Scott have both been picked up by the Red Sox, and pitcher Eddie Monosse has been signed by the Seals and is moving on to Yakima.

Q. Just WHY are you running for city councilman and what are your criticisms of the present council—even though you are still a member?

A. I have no criticisms! I feel that many of the criticisms as to projects started by the council and still uncompleted—will be proved in time to have been right, foresighted—and in the long run, expensive! That I am running again and am willing to stand on my record as a councilman should make it evident that I have nothing from which to RUN AWAY! The fact that no individual man is perfect makes it self evident that no five councilmen are going to be perfect or do a perfect job all the time! I know that I have done my best and, if re-elected, will continue to do so!

Sincerely,
Jane Keith
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Central Club Stays In Front Of League

With only two weeks of play remaining in the Merchants Bowling League, the Central Club squad manages to cling to the top spot, with a two-game margin.

Central Club kegglers took two games from College Hill last week, to remain on top. College Hill, Thur Meat Co., and the Foresters are all tied for second place with 41-37 scores.

High series last week was rolled by Dave Reed, of the Brisbane Lions, with a score of 579. Joe Belli, of the Daly City Lions, shot a 551 series.

Reed also rolled the high game for the night, 248. Del Fehl, of the Central Club, was second with 245. Dick Crane, of the Eagles, rolled 224; and Belli shot a 221.

League Standing		
	W	L
Central Club	43	35
College Hill	41	37
Thur Meat Co.	41	37
Foresters	41	37
Lombardi Auto	40	38
Eagles	39	39
Daly City Lions	37	41
Brisbane Lions	30	48

Colma Golfer Beats State Champion In City Semi-Finals

Colma's hard-swinging tavern keeper, Bob Silvestri, Sunday downed Ken Venturi, the 1950 city golf champ and current state titleholder, 5 and 4, to enter the finals of the San Francisco city tournament.

However, because of one overlooked driver, resting innocently in Silvestri's golf bag, the local man was almost disqualified completely.

On the 14th green Silvestri protested a shot by Venturi, which was upheld. Venturi, in retaliation, on the next green suggested to the referee that the number of clubs in Silvestri's bags be counted. The count revealed 15.

Now, according to the book of rules, there shall be only 14 clubs to each bag. Disqualification is the penalty for breach of the rule.

It developed into quite a hassle, with Venturi later insisting he wouldn't want to win by a disqualification. Silvestri said he had been carrying an old driver in his bag for four years. He simply forgot to remove it.

Finally, a loophole was found, and Silvestri was declared the winner.

His brilliant 34 outgoing in the morning set the pace. He was four up then. He parred the back nine to finish with 70, against Venturi's 76, and was still four up.

The other finalist will be Vern Callison, who owns a tavern near the Sacramento ball park. He downed William Hank Mann, auto salesman, 3 and 2.

Treated at Junipero Serra hospital were Cormack McKinley, 24, the driver, and Edward Vernon, 23, a passenger. Vernon was hospitalized with a back injury, and



AFTER 35 YEARS OF CONTINUOUS SERVICE, Antonio Francesconi, 1139 Brunswick street, received the Swift service award emblem with seven stars. The presentation was made by South San Francisco plant superintendent H. S. Thorne.

Wanted: Lion Hide Sans Lion

California mountain lion hunters who want their bounty hides returned by the Department of Fish and Game will have to include a check for prepaid return shipment with each hide.

The new order was announced by George Seymour, supervising hunter-trapper. He revealed that express companies refused to accept collect shipments of animal hides. The State Agency, he asserted, is not required to return the lion hides submitted for \$50 and \$60 State bounties.

Cash for return shipments will not be accepted, Seymour stated. Checks payable to the Fish and Game Preservation Fund, when accompanied by a written request, will assure return of the hides.

Hides can not be mailed, according to provisions of the Fish and Game Code, and they must be cured so as not to create an odor when shipped.

South City Team Is In Need Of Players

Daly City softballers interested in participating in AA competition this season, have been invited to trot down to Memorial Park in South San Francisco at 1 p.m. Sunday for a tryout with the Windbreakers AC.

The Breakers' athletic board has named Charley Rodoni, former third sacker, as team manager. Rodoni is interested in playing in two of the Peninsula's top leagues, the Peninsula AA and the top league in South San Francisco. Organization of both leagues is still in progress, and both will probably be eligible for the state championships.

Rodoni says berths are wide open, since only six vets have returned to fill a squad of 15.

Local Man Given Service Award By Swift Company

Francesconi Puts In 35 Years With Co.

Antonio Francesconi, 1139 Brunswick street, a veteran Swift & Company employee at their South San Francisco plant, has been awarded a gold Swift service award emblem with seven stars, denoting 35 years of continuous service with the company. The presentation was made by plant Superintendent H. S. Thorne.

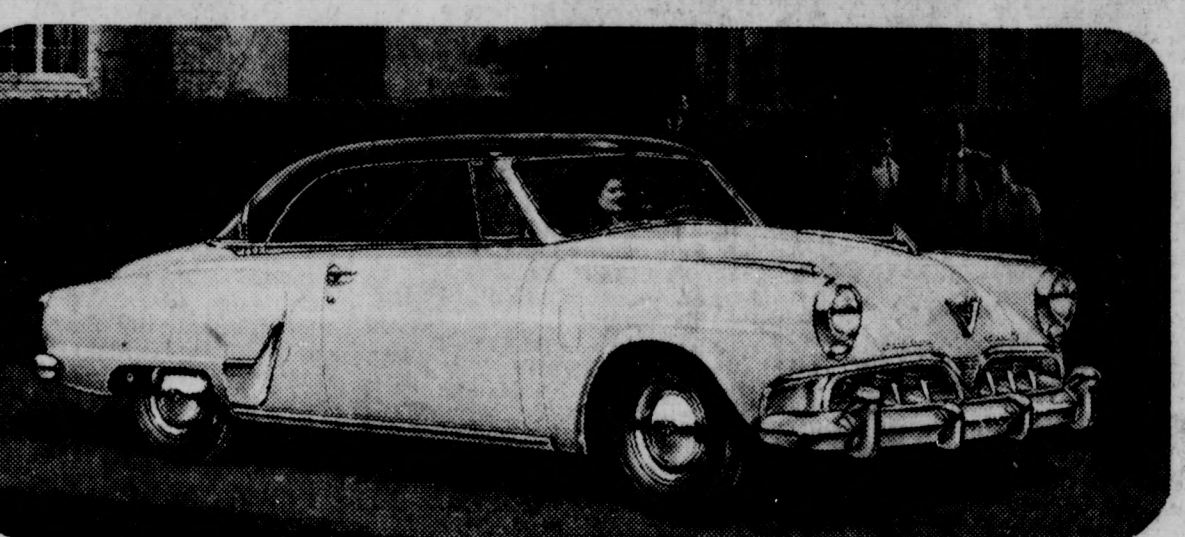
It was 35 years ago, immediately after he received his discharge from the U. S. armed forces at the San Francisco Presidio in World War I, that Antonio Francesconi started to work at the South San Francisco plant. After a year in other departments, he was transferred to the teaming and worked as a helper another year, when he took over the delivery of the company's products in the San Francisco waterfront territory. This has been his route every since.

During that period of time he has been recognized for his exceptional safe driving ability and has also been presented with a company certificate award and pin for 16 years of safe driving.

Mr. and Mrs. Francesconi own their home on Brunswick street. They have two sons and a daughter. Son Robert is also employed at the Swift plant. The other son, Albert, is now in the armed forces in Korea. Daughter Angelina is an employee of the telephone company.

He is an active member of Daly City Post No. 410 of the American Legion. His hobby is gardening, and he keeps his garden spot well conditioned, providing fresh vegetables for the home table the year around.

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